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Educational Interests in Washington Territory

We find in the Territorial papers the report of Dr Nelson Rounds, Superintendent of common schools for Washington Territory, for the year 1872 The report contains much valuable statistical information in relation to the condition of the educational interests of the Territory

Dr Rounds views on the subject of compulsory attendance at school and upon moral education are peculiarly interesting

We transcribe from this report the following

SCHOOL STATISTICS OF THE TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON FOR 1872

COUNTIES	No. School Houses	No. Schools taught	Number attended	Days of School taught	Amt paid to teachers
Clallam	0		17		$ 60 00
Clarke	1		77	114	600 00
Cowlitz			641	1 300	2 222 91
Island	1		61	60	180 00
Jefferson	1		80	170	1,042 00
King	8		124	220	2,788 62
Kitsap	8		213	560	1 052 40
Klickitat	6		92	180	2,000 00
Lewis	2		16	114	360 00
Mason	7	10	210	414	840 00
Pacific	1	1	10	47	336 71
Pierce	5	4	116	220	1,020 00
Skagit	5	5	177	220	1 200 00
Snohomish	2		40	75	240 00
Skamania	2	1	28	45	225 00
Stevens	0	1	48	90	540 00
Thurston	17	23	500	900	6 300 00
Wahkiakum	1	1	17	25	60 00
Walla Walla	37	33	1,076	4?0	7 280 00
Whatcom	3	1	90	183	360 00
Whitman					
Yakima	5	6	117	220	?00 00
Approximate Total	144	137	3 825	8 200	$.0 138 64

In most cases these figures are from the reports of the county superintendents In some these reports not having been filed, the statistics are from the Territorial Auditor's office, and in a few cases they are estimated

TEXT BOOKS

The following is the list of text books selected and recommended in compliance with the law, for uniform use in the Territory, viz Saunder's Union Spellers and Readers, Robinson's Arithmetics and Algebras Kerl's Grammar, Swinton's History of the United States, Cutter's and Hitchcock's Physiology, Well's Science of Common Things, Monteith's Geographies, Webster's Primary Dictionary, Spencerian Writing and Drawing Books, P Phillips' Day School Singer Kerl's Composition and Rhetoric

The County Superintendents of fourteen counties have announced to me their concurrence in this selection and approve of their introduction into the schools of their several counties, and have nearly all of them, selected places and persons for keeping the books on sale The indications are that all the counties will come into the arrangement, and make the use of these text books uniform in our schools

TEACHERS' INSTITUTES

One Teachers' Convention and three Teachers' Institutes have been held at important points in the Territory Having been present at all these assemblages except one, I can testify that they were occasions of profit to our school interests, and the Institutes at Seattle and Vancouver were sustained by teachers, school officers, and the friends of education, with great ability and success At the Convention in Olympia, a fourth Institute was inaugurated by adopting a Constitution and appointing an Executive Committee Unavoidably detained from attending the Walla Walla Institute, held the 26th and 27th of December, I cannot speak of its doings, but expect to hear that it was an animated and effective meeting I earnestly recommend the holding of Institutes in every county this year, where it is possible

COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL

I have been inquired of, whether the compulsory clause, Chapter VI, Sec 1, 2, 3, which enjoins upon parents and guardians under penalty to send their children to school three months each year, is not oppressive Answer, not when the circumstances are duly considered Note first, the limitations, the age of children on whom the compulsory rule bears, is between 8 and 16, they are old enough to go, and not old enough to be of much help at home Again this law is not to be enforced where any good reason can be shown for non compliance, and if poverty be the plea, such children are admitted free of cost And further, after the fine is imposed there is an appeal to the County Commissioners Note secondly, that the probable reasoning of the Legislature was like this Government having the care of the common wealth, must give to the youth, sufficient education to make them wholesome, intelligent, citizens And their parents cannot complain because they are obliged to let them receive what is a great benefit, both to the children and the parents Primary education is made compulsory in several of the States

IMPORTANCE OF MORAL AND RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION IN THE SCHOOLS

That valuable portion of the school law on moral and religious culture in the schools, (Chapter IV, Sec 15 and 16) has attracted much attention on account of its importance, and I am sorry to say, in certain limited localities, has awakened opposition These sections exact good moral character, in all teachers, and anticipating that they will do their endeavors to promote the same character in their pupils, simply prohibit their teaching "sectarian or denominational doctrines," and their using "sectarian or denominational books" in the schools This of course does not exclude the reading of the Bible, because that is not a sectarian book. It is a religious book, nor does it interdict the inculcation of those religious principles which are the common ground of belief with Christians as a body

It is well observed in the recent report of the Commissioner of Education at Washington, that "the first object of our Public Schools, is to make good men and women, good neighbors and citizens and whatever stops short of this is not the true and sufficient education" But can we make good citizens by teaching the arts and sciences, whilst we withhold moral instruction? No, we cannot! Goodness is a moral virtue and can only be produced by moral means To expect, therefore, to raise up good men and women, under our school system, without instilling moral, Christian principles into the minds of the scholars is irrational

This subject has a national application Learning alone cannot give stability to a State Education in Christian morals is vital to a free government Says the great and good Washington in his Farewell Address "Of all the dispositions and habits which lead to political prosperity religion and morality are indispensable supports" Free government is self government And self government in a nation implies self government in individuals That is, men in a free government must individually keep themselves within wholesome restraint, the restraint of the moral law, they must be upright men What is the great question which now interests the whole country and agitates the minds of political men more than any other? It is that of the civil service reform, or how the subordinate officers of the civil law may be so selected that the President will feel assured that the men he appoints will be honest men fit for the positions they fill And Congress have so far felt the importance of this matter that they have appropriated $5,000 to be employed by him in measures to secure that object, and to save him and the country from being further imposed upon by men of unworthy character Educate the rising generation thoroughly in Christian morals and such an item of expenditure will not be called for

The moral virtues are social naturally drawing men together in friendly converse and brotherhood The vices are anti social They have an intrinsic power of repulsion and tend to disunion To instance falsehood and dishonesty How quickly these destroy confidence and dissever social ties And so with envy, jealousy hatred, and all the catalogue of vicious tempers and habits how they make men not only useless to each other but a mutual annoyance They become estranged Society is disrupted Whereas the moral virtues, as truth, honesty and love attract They qualify and dispose men to be a mutual aid and benefit to one another Such men feel that association is a common interest and a chief duty Communities and States founded upon these principles, and continuing to cherish these sentiments cannot fail to endure and prosper God made us for social life and he requires in us the moral qualities which promote it He for that state which a want of these qualities endangers the whole scheme Moral principle is to a nation and especially to a free nation, what attraction is to matter When attraction fails matter crumbles And when Christian morals are wanting in a republic, anarchy ensues Pre eminence in the arts and sciences cannot save it The most polished State in Europe to day stands upon the most tottering basis Look at the corrupt Greeks when their language their philosophy, their eloquence, their fine arts were at their meridian, barely yielding their country to Philip's gold Behold great Rome the commanding capital of the nations yet so decayed morally, so enervated and benetted in vice, that she falls by her own weight Observe France, Mexico and South Amerion, struggling repeatedly during the last two generations to rear the temple of constitutional freedom but failing as often, because they had not for their foundation an enlightened Christian morality as the prevailing element of the national mind.

The unavoidable conclusion from these facts and considerations is, that moral culture should be a constant and prominent object in the public schools of this Territory The school law is framed in accordance with that view, and in the right way, as I believe, to secure that end It is a great and acknowledged principle that in right government the people voluntarily relinquish certain rights in order to secure all the rest And that in any department of these rights whatever is not expressly claimed by statute to the Government, is still retained by the people. Acting upon this principle our Legislature, while excluding from the schools all sectarian books and teachings, still leave the way entirely open for instruction in Christian morals, and in all the fundamental religious principles which are the common ground of belief in a Christian nation The loss important details of religion, which constitute the distinctive peculiarities of the different Christian bodies can be referred to their several Sabbath schools churches and family firesides, and there be taught in full But the great importance of the foundation truths of Christianity requires that they should reach the human heart through every avenue, just as God, in view of the unspeakable value of air water, and the light and heat of the sun to the human family, has opened every channel for their diffusion and made them free to all

And as this law is constitutional so also it is founded on a wise and liberal policy For our schools being thus constituted to inculcate those elements of knowledge which we will all believe in and for purposes which we all deem important, all parties can unite to patronize them without sacrifice of principle, and our whole country experience the benefits of a true and sufficient education The objection, therefore, that Protestants and Catholics cannot co operate in our public schools system falls to the ground. For all the religious elements we wish to cultivate in the schools, the latter subscribe to as much as the former The fact that parties have certain principles and interests in common, is considered, the world over, a competent basis on which to unite, to the extent of those principles, in the prosecution of said interest, though on other points for sign to the union, outside of its objects, they may differ indefinitely The federal government under which we all live, is a glorious illustration Here, more than forty States and Territories differing in very many respects, but having numerous great principles and interests in common, combine on that common ground and form a union which we find not only practicable but strong and permanent, and of unspeakable advantage to all

This same fraternization in behalf of schools has been tested elsewhere with success. In Catholic Ireland, where Romanism and Protestantism had had such a long and sharp contention over educational matters, all parties, at length, weary with controversy, concluded to unite on what is called the "Irish" school system, which is substantially the very plan adopted in our Territorial free schools, imparting religious but not sectarian instruction The Catholics sought and obtained the sanction of Pope Gregory XVI to the arrangement And for twenty three years down to the times of our latest advices, all parties have found it highly satisfactory, and productive of the most auspicious results

NELSON ROUNDS,
Territorial Supt Common Schools of W T
January 1, 1873

THE TERRITORIES

A store for the sale of tea exclusively has been established at Olympia.

Boise City has a dramatic company, embracing home talent only, which plays three pieces in one evening

The heathen Chinee is imitating American manners One was fined $25 for selling liquor to Indians at Olympia a few days ago

Seattle has suffered pretty severely lately from the depredations of burglars A local paper claims that the perpetrators are from Portland

C P Stone, of Seattle, has presented to the Library Association of his town a complete set of the New American Cyclopedia, comprising 20 volumes and valued at $175.

Steamboat opposition in all earnestness has set in on the Sound once more Rates have come down, till carrying of freight is no longer a business of profit, and passengers travel for little or nothing

The *Tribune* says the citizens of Seattle have organized a vigilance committee for their own protection Watchmen patrol the town at night It is getting uncomfortable for the thieves, and their lives will be in danger if caught

The Olympia *Courier* says "This is the 25th day of January. Grass is growing rapidly trees are budding, and Nevada ice is being delivered to customers in this place at three cents per pound Think of that ye residents of the frozen regions to the eastward of the Rocky Mountains"

Up to December 21st 1872, says the Seattle *Dispatch*, Jay Cooke & Co, financial agents for the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, had sold $17,500 000 of first mortgage bonds of that road On the 2d of January the semi annual interest was paid, amounting to $769,355 coin The same paper learns from an undoubted source that the directors have let contracts for the building and equipping of 300 miles of road on the Pacific division this year This cannot but be a great benefit to the Territory and to Oregon, as it will give employment to our laboring classes, and will bring to this coast not less than $8,000 000 of Eastern capital to be put into general circulation within the next nine months

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The *Prince Alfred*, on her last trip to Victoria, had on board 30 passengers and 200 tons of freight

Mr B Robinson, the well known comedian, and Miss Robinson, his niece, assisted by a number of young amateurs, are playing in the Victoria theater

In the Legislative Assembly at Victoria one of its members declared last week that their government was nothing "It stands," he said, "in the same relation to the people that a figure head does to a ship—more for ornament than for use"

The old postoffice and custom house at Victoria are to be offered at auction on the 8th of February next They were built in 1858 A new building is to be erected by the Dominion on the same site, and $25 000 have been appropriated for the purpose

A valuable piano, purchased in one of the Eastern cities on July 2, 1872, arrived at Springville, on Soda Creek, British Columbia, on November 9th, having been transported by land and sea near 5 000 miles When the piano was purchased the thermometer stood at 103 degrees, and on the day of its arrival the thermometer stood at zero Notwithstanding the change of temperature the piano was found to be in perfect tune

OREGON

The telegraph office at Salem has been moved into the Chemeketa Hotel building

Mrs A J Dunniway will lecture at Salem this (Thursday) evening on "Womanly Women and Womanly Men"

The offices of the County Clerk and Treasurer at Hillsboro will be moved into the new Court House in a few days

A thousand Chinese flies have arrived at Salem to be used for paving garden walks, by one of the citizens in that place

Leland the Clackamas Hermit, lectured the people at Jefferson on the evils of intemperance on Monday evening last

Our Hillsboro correspondent says loans of from $1 000 to $5,000 can be negotiated in Washington county on easy terms on good paper.

H Jackson Esq Treasurer of Washington county, is now prepared to pay all county warrants which were endorsed by him prior to the first Monday of January

There has as yet been but little or no placer mining done in Eastern Oregon, but prospecting parties are said to be now driving, with a fair show of success at several points in Baker county

There have been recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Washington county, during the month of January, fifty deeds and about a dozen mortgages Two marriage licenses have been issued from the same office during the same time

The postoffice at Hillsboro is about to be the subject of litigation Our correspondent intimates that the postmaster has sold out his interest in it This is rather a strange proceeding A Ward once remarked that he was unable to accommodate his friends as he didn't "have the givin' of the postoffices" That is something that a postmaster could hardly sell, we reckon

From the *Statesman* of Wednesday The Wallamet continued to rise till half past ten yesterday, since which it has been about at a "stand" Steamer *Alice* arrived on time from below bound up the river The *Shoo Fly* went up in the afternoon bound for the Long Tom river for cargo of wheat The *Jennie Patton* came down from Buena Vista, left 400 sacks wheat at Salem Mills, took 20 tons flour and went below

We are informed that several large ditches leading from beaver dam lands on some Washington county farms into the Tualatin river have lately caved in, in many places nearly filling Some of these ditches have been dug for ten years and have not in all the winters before, filled near so much as during the past three months The owners of these ditches are strongly inclined to the belief that the damage has been caused by earthquake

We find the following in a recent letter of B F Dowell from Washington City to the Jacksonville *Sentinel*

There is great agitation at present about a new narrow gauge railroad from Benicia to Red Bluff The advocates of the road say it can be built for $10,000 per mile, and that it will run in opposition to the present roads and make 12 per cent per annum on the capital stock while the present roads are doing a losing business on the capital invested They say they can and will build the road success attend them, as it will tend to lower the price of freight without the aid of State or Congressional legislation If the company completes the road to Red Bluff in a few years, in time it will be extended to Goose Lake, Harney and Boise City This is the plan of some of the advocates, unless Oregon pushes forward her road from Portland to Salt Lake City This railroad will extend the trade of Sacramento and San Francisco into the heart of Idaho, to the detriment of the natural trade of Portland and all the towns of the Columbia river below the mouth of Snake river The Portland and Salt Lake Company should press their road into the heart of Idaho in advance of this new company!

John P. Jones, just elected United States Senator from Nevada, talks like a man who has made up his mind to be the representative of the people, and not of the railroad rings If the war is equal to the proclamation, Jones will make a useful Senator On the occasion of his election, he made a speech in which he said

"The public domain—the freehold of the people—is lavishly given over to grasping corporations, the public treasure—the common property of all—is donated to them in more than princely subsidies They are empowered to extort, monopolize, discriminate at will Their grasp is upon every community, restricting the healthy currents of trade, paralyzing the action of industry and thwarting the popular will in the choice of representatives"

SENSIBLE GIRLS.—The girls in the first class of the High School in Portland, Maine, between thirty and forty in number, have agreed, with only two exceptions, to adopt for a school dress a plain, substantial, and not expensive material Overskirts, laces and velvets are to be wholly discarded, and ribbons used only to a limited extent No jewelry except a plain pin, and one plain ring is to be worn The girls agree to wear no other costume to school between this time and their graduations next June Many pupils in the lower classes are following then example, and it is hoped that it may become quite general in the school Among the things discarded, slang talk may be mentioned, which they agree to drop entirely

Air-castles are as old as Adam. There is not a man, woman or child but what has built or is building them, and they will continue to be built so long as there is a living person on earth The child looks forward to the time when it will have grown up to manhood or womanhood, and tells what it will be when it reaches that passage of life

A would-be school teacher in Alabama recently replied to a question by one of the examiners, "Do you think the world round or flat?" by saying, "Well, some people think one way and some another, and I'll teach round or flat, just as the parents please"

"George," asked a teacher of a Sunday school class, "who above all others do you wish to see when you get to heaven?" With a face brightened up with anticipation, the little fellow shouted "Gerilah"

A smart boy in one of the public schools of Cadiz, Pa having been required to write a composition on some part of the human body expanded as follows "The Throat—A throat is convenient to have, especially for roosters and ministers The former eats corn and crows with it, the latter preaches through his'n and ties it up"

A very neat and stylish coiffure has the front hair waved and combed high over a frisette The back hair is combed up, tied, and then braided in two braids which descend upon either side and are raised again to the middle under a cascade of curls which are formed by the curls of the front hair.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN

EASTERN PAPERS TO JANUARY 29.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional

WASHINGTON, Jan 28 —In the Senate the Vice President announced the appointment of a committee to investigate charges against him in connection with the Credit Mobilier

Last moved for a committee of five

Thurman said the Vice President made a mistake in asking for a committee because he is not a member of the House That body will not expect to remove or punish him He could only be impeached if reason were shown as it would be the duty of the House to impeach him and as a counter would have to act as Judge the Senate should not interfere at this action of the House

Pratt's motion was rejected

A bill to pay the expenses of the Mixed Claim Commission was passed also the amendment appropriating half a million dollars for work on the Postoffice at New York.

The House amendment of the Vienna Exposition bill was concurred in and the bill passed

The bill to pay the Japanese Government for lost vessels by the United States in Japan, for hospital purposes passed

WASHINGTON, Jan 29 —In the Senate on motion of Mr Corbett the Secretary of War was directed to inquire into the expediency of enlisting a company of Indian scouts to serve against the Modocs in Oregon

The Committee on Elections to-day further examined Pinchback on the Louisiana election question

Fire.

WASHINGTON, Jan 28.—At 11 20 P. M the National Theater with fixtures and sample rooms of Miller & James was entirely destroyed by fire The building was fully insured

MASTERN STATES.

A Gigantic Ring

CHICAGO Jan 28 —A Washington special says it is rumored here that a pool is being formed by the Bank of California and the Central Pacific and Union Pacific roads to operate together in case the June interest on bonds of latter corporation go to protest which is regarded as highly probable under present embarrassments and complications of company Under these circumstances the Trustees would be compelled to sell out under first mortgage bonds, and it is believed that the entire Union Pacific line together with its rolling stock could be bought up for about $15 000,000

Cold Weather Still

CHICAGO Jan 25 —Last night was the coldest of the season in this city ranging 20 to 24 degrees below zero At Joliet Ill it is reported 34 degrees below at day light, and 52 below at 10 A M, and rising, rapidly this morning

MILWAUKIE, Jan 29 —The weather this morning, here and west is intensely cold, the thermometer indicating 30 degrees below zero

ST PAUL, Jan 29 —Thermometer 14 degrees below zero at Fort Harvey, and other points west of St Paul, and 30 below at Park

A Spasm of Virtue

BOSTON Jan 28 —A New York special says that after Phelps, Lodge & Co had effected a compromise with the Government by paying $700 000 W P Dodge senior partner of the firm, caused an immediate dissolution of the firm expelling the junior partners who were the principal agents in swindling the Custom House

Failed to Connect

It is reported that twelve to sixteen wool dealers in this city who attempted to "corner the wool market, have abandoned their efforts and are in distressed financial condition

A Project Abandoned

NEW YORK Jan 28 —Commodore Vanderbilt has decided not to build a underground railroad to this city His status, after six months' investigation, he finds that an underground railroad would neither be beneficial to the

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING JANUARY 10 1873

The Transportation Question

The *Farmer* has a very sensible letter from Chicago in which the question of the market for breadstuffs is discussed. The following extract from his letter shows that the writer has a clear and correct view of the problem:

The initiatory question to settle is that of transportation. The West will be ruined unless there be some method devised for transporting her products to the seaboard from the west to that point countries by which the farmer will receive a reasonable price for his products. The condition of the West is growing worse instead of better. If this be determined, however it, but the farmer of to day is poor and plentiful as without a parallel in any age or in any country. How is it that his pockets are empty while his barns are full to overflowing. I would not sound a false alarm. I would look on the bright side; but when stern facts confront, it is time to speak plainly. This question affects not the farmer of the West alone but those of the Eastern States, and a considerable portion of Europe. Though this of so much importance, it has received no attention from our legislators. While all the railroad companies and other transportation associations have representatives in Washington to look after their interests the farmers have been represented scarcely at all.

They who ascribe the low price of farm products to any cause other than exorbitant freight tariffs, have not carefully considered the subject, or else are interested to mislead the public. The foreign market for bread stuffs continues to advance and the excess of demand over supply becomes greater and greater every year. The farmer who studies the elements of the problem upon which his success and prosperity depend, namely, the state of demand and supply in the great marts of commerce, reads that the crops of England are a partial failure, and that Odessa will not be able to ship her accustomed contingent of bread to the place of consumption, and he feels confident that his crop must find ready sale. He is confirmed in this by seeing that his ideas of the probable state of the market are also entertained by the most eminent statistitians of the country, who announce that England must during the year have so many millions of centals of wheat over her own crop—say one hundred millions as is the case the present season,—and that the great bulk of this must come from the United States. Stimulated by the hope of rich returns for all his labor, the farmer toils early and late and fills his barns and his granaries. But he has not correctly estimated the cost of carrying. He has counted what amount his grain can be, not what it *will* be, carried for. He has built upon the idea that in the natural course of trade, he might reach the seaport at only such cost as would pay the carrier reasonable profits for his investment and enterprise. In this he is deceived. The carrying corporation has secured itself a monopoly of the business, and he is at its mercy. He pays twice or thrice a reasonable compensation. The end is, he realizes nothing for his year's labor, except what he has consumed on the farm during the time. Meanwhile, the carrier grows more rich and arrogant, buys the legislature and corrupts the channels of justice, and thus entrenches himself for similar operations in the future.

There are instances of transportation associations which deal fairly with the communities dependent upon them, but they are the exceptions. These will not object to any reasonable restrictions that may be placed upon them by Congress or the legislature. But no matter who objects, the matter must be taken in hand. The Government must control the monopolies, or be controlled by them. The shallow reasoning of our railway organ here, by which it reaches the conclusion that the Congress of the United States must stand still and see the rights of the producer trampled under foot, as they have been by our railway company, is a logic that reduces every farmer and merchant in the country to a state of absolute dependence upon the railway companies, and makes the Government of the United States a mere instrument in the hands of the companies for the carrying on of their oppressions.

"The King is dead! Long live the King!" The election of Prince William Lunalilo to the throne made vacant by the demise of Kamehameha V., is not an event calculated to disturb either continent. There are no barometrical stocks in the Sandwich Islands to indicate the degree of favor with which the new monarch is received. We hear nothing of the probable policy of His Majesty. Age is unknown. The telegraph is feelingly silent on the subject of Cabinets and Prime Ministers. But we can readily believe that the solution of what was lately a vexed problem to the Islanders is the most satisfactory that could be afforded.

Since the death of obese Kamehameha, E. N. Allen, Chief Justice of the Island has acted as Regent. There were several candidates for the vacant throne: William Paratul, Mrs. C. R. Bishop and the present monarch. The scheme for placing Mrs. Bishop on the throne met with little favor. And it is well, we think, that the Islands have chosen a lineal heir. During the reign of the Kamehamehas the industries and arts have seldom been disturbed by war. Nor can we wonder that a race whose chief glory lies in rude traditions of the doubtful virtues of Kings should prefer the blood-royal, or wildest Kanaka of their realm, even, to an intrusive foreigner. The present monarch is referred to by Mark Twain as "Our staunch American sympathizer, Prince William Lunalilo, descendant of eleven generations of sceptered savages—a splendid fellow, with talent, genius, gentlemanly manners, generous instincts and an intellect that shines as radiantly through floods of whisky as if that fluid but fed a calcium light in his head."

According to the official figures of the last census the increase of population in the United States from 1860 to 1870 was 4,115,050. In point of population the following States hold the same rank which they did in 1860. New York, first; Pennsylvania, second; Ohio, third; Illinois, fourth; Indiana, sixth; Missouri, which was eighth in 1860, is now fifth. Virginia, which was fifth, is now tenth. Massachusetts holds her own as seventh, whereas Tennessee rises from tenth to ninth. Pennsylvania has a total increase of 615,736, a gain of twenty-one per cent.

The Illinois liquor law, now on trial, has been watched closely by friends of temperance throughout the Union. The first conviction under it was secured about a month since. The offender—a saloon keeper—was indicted on two counts, one for selling liquor to an intoxicated person, the other for selling liquor to an habitual drunkard. Competent counsel were engaged to try the case, which involved a test of the constitutionality of the statute. After a long contest the defendant was found guilty on both counts.

The Credit Mobilier—Its Origin and History

The corporation known as the Credit Mobilier was created in 1859 by a special act of the Pennsylvania Legislature under the name of the Pennsylvania Fiscal Agency. It was empowered to borrow money and engage generally in such business as is carried on by organizations of that nature. In 1864, that remarkable financier, George Francis Train, obtained the charter by purchase. In an insane freak superinduced possibly by reading Carlyle's chapters on "The Detail," he charged its title to "The Credit Mobilier of America" in fond imitation of a great financial institution in France. Under his management it was endowed with additional powers to loan its credit, guarantee contracts etc., until it became a huge Briareus of finance grasping at—nearly.

In 1865 the charter passed into the hands of the Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad Company. This company was incorporated under a land grant of ten square miles for every mile of road going west from the 100th meridian until it met the Central Pacific. In addition to this the Government issued its six per cent bond of $16 000 per mile for the first 207 miles, and a bond of $32,000 per mile for the next 600 miles, which carried the enterprise into a region where construction would necessarily be very expensive. For this latter section the bond was increased to $48,000 per mile.

The subscribers to U. P. stock paid in five per cent of their subscriptions and received paid-up stock of the nominal value of $100 per share. They then brought forward the Credit Mobilier charter, incorporated themselves under it, took all the assets of the railroad company—including bonds land grant and subscriptions—and gave them to the Credit Mobilier *—themselves.* The Credit Mobilier henceforward appears as the contractor for the construction of the road, upon terms enormously profitable as a gigantic Mutual Benefit Association, whose stockholders—with the exception of a few names who were taken in "to do the most good" to the road—are the Directors and stockholders of the Union Pacific company. But after a time it proved that the contract to build the first 207 miles might not be so profitable after all. Further aid must be extended, and Congress must grant it. It was in this legislation that the various Congressmen who have been accused of bribery, etc., first figured.

The Credit Mobilier capital stock amounted $4,000 000, upon all of which the five per cent. had been paid, excepting one lot of 650 shares or $65,000. "These were set apart for a peculiar purpose," says Thos. C. Durant, Vice President of the Union Pacific Road, who had subscribed for them and in whose name they stood on the stock books. Mr. Oakes Ames and Mr. Durant were authorized to use these 650 shares in securing the legislation by Congress. Mr. Ames dealt with the Republican members of Congress, Mr. Durant with the Democratic. The legislation was obtained. A first mortgage on the Road was held by the United States, a second mortgage was held by the Credit Mobilier under the building contract. The effect of the legislation referred to was the subrogation of the first mortgage, by which act the United States was swindled out of its mortgage while the Credit Mobilier mortgage took its place and priority. As a consequence, Credit Mobilier stock went up 400 per cent. At this time certain members of Congress seem to have appreciated the good thing. They assailed Ames and Durant for the stock which had been offered them. Ames says they received it. But at this high tide of prosperity, when a worthless mortgage had become suddenly valuable by act of Congress and at the expense of the people, one Mr. McComb, a Director in the U. P. Road, first appears. A certain Mr. Fant of Richmond had subscribed for 250 shares of Credit Mobilier stock, (before this sudden rise in value,) for which he was unable to pay. By agreement, Mr. McComb paid for them. After the legislation he demanded stock for the 250 shares, and was told that all the capital stock had been disposed of. McComb then called upon Ames for 250 shares of the "Peculiar stock." He was informed that the 650 shares had been distributed as agreed upon. But upon making inquiries of men to whom Mr. Ames said he had given stock, McC. found they had not received it. Thereupon he commenced suit for the recovery of 250 shares. He instructed his counsel, Judge Black, to leave out of the bill in equity the names of members of Congress and other parties who had received stock, and to aver simply that the 650 shares of "Peculiar stock" had been illegally distributed. Judge Black objected to this, and required McComb to give him a written instruction to draw the bill thus, to which McC. assented. In his answer, Mr. Ames swore that he never had written letters referring to bribing the Congressmen and that he never had distributed the stock as charged. Upon the hearing before a Master in Chancery, Ames' counsel insisted that the letters and the stock list should be produced. To this McComb demurred. Counsel insisted. Whereupon McComb produced the papers and put sworn copies on file. During the Presidential campaign, a reporter of the New York Sun stole the letters and stock list from the office of Ames' lawyer, publication followed, then Mr. Blaine's letter demanding investigation. Congress met. A Committee of Investigation was appointed,—the majority of the Committee being Independent Republicans and Democrats. And if we may believe report, Mr. Ames has stated exactly to whom he gave the stock, the amount of dividends paid, and that some of the recipients have, since the investigation commenced, requested him to take the stock back. Meanwhile Mr. Ames insists that the motives of all concerned were pure. Our readers are familiar with the testimony, which has been published from time to time. That some of the parties connected with this gigantic Railroad swindle have been guilty of gross misconduct no reasonable man can doubt. Let all such be visited with condign punishment. Let it be understood henceforth that when grave public interests involving the commerce, the industries and chiefly the integrity of our lawmakers, are concerned, the people will look for the same honesty which it requires of the individual citizen.

A cloud suddenly comes over the political sky of Europe. For a few days past the dispatches by Atlantic cable have made frequent mention of the fact that England and Russia were at a misunderstanding in regard to the movements of the latter power in Asia. And the controversy seems to grow sharper as it grows older. If we are to credit the telegrams of yesterday, which we publish this morning, Russia has on her hands a more serious affair than the Crimean enterprise of 1856. But we attach little importance to the rumor of so extensive an alliance against Russia. Such an alliance may be contemplated by some of the powers named, but it is hardly credible that its terms could be settled so quickly after the dispute arose, nor that it could have been effected with such secrecy as not to have become known or suspected till it was completed. The misunderstanding between Russia and England is, doubtless, a serious matter, but it probably does not involve any other of the powers.

Gov. Grover has appointed a Board of Commissioners to proceed with the capitol building in accordance with the law passed at the last Legislature. His authority to make that appointment has been questioned, and probably is not entirely clear, but the necessity of the case will be considered a sufficient justification of the exercise of the power, and his action will meet with very general approval. The Commissioners named are John P. Miller, Henry Kappel and Samuel Brown.

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office, and at the office of the Acting Asst ant Quartermaster of each post for which supplies are required up to noon of Monday, the 31st day of March, 1873, for the delivery, at military posts in this Department, of the supplies specified below; the deliveries to commence July 1st, 1873, and to be made at such times and in such quantities as the necessities of the service may require during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

Portland, Oregon

150 cords of HARD WOOD,
20 cords of SOFT WOOD,
400 tons of COAL,
112,000 pounds of OATS,
140,000 pounds of HAY,
30,400 pounds of STRAW.

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1,000 cords of HARD WOOD, or
2,000 cords of SOFT WOOD,
1,200 bushels of CHARCOAL,
442,000 pounds of OATS,
382,000 pounds of HAY (baled or loose),
170,000 pounds of STRAW (baled or loose)

Fort Stevens, Oregon

600 cords of WOOD,
40,000 pounds of OATS (sacked),
60 000 pounds of HAY (baled),
0,000 pounds of STRAW (baled)

Fort Cape Disappointment, W. T.

600 cords of WOOD,
70 000 pounds of OATS (sacked),
60,000 pounds of HAY (baled),
25,000 pounds of STRAW (baled).

Camp San Juan Island, W. T.

40,000 pounds of OATS (sacked),
62,000 pounds of HAY (baled),
33 000 pounds of STRAW (baled)

Fort Colville, W. T.

1,000 cords of WOOD,
1,000 bushels of CHARCOAL,
02,000 pounds of OATS,
150 000 pounds of HAY,
42,000 pounds of STRAW.

Fort Lapwai, I. T

900 cords of WOOD,
600 bushels of CHARCOAL,
327 000 pounds of OATS,
500,000 pounds of HAY,
140,000 pounds of STRAW.

Fort Boise, I. T

800 cords of WOOD,
725 bushels of CHARCOAL,
100,000 pounds of BARLEY (sacked),
200,000 pounds of HAY,
50,000 pounds of STRAW

Fort Klamath, Oregon

1,000 cords of WOOD,
1,700 bushels of CHARCOAL,
650,000 pounds of OATS,
900,000 pounds of HAY,
180,000 pounds of STRAW.

Camp Warner, Oregon.

1,550 cords of WOOD,
2,500 bushels of CHARCOAL,
800,000 pounds of OATS or BARLEY (sacked),
1,000,000 pounds of HAY,
300,000 pounds of STRAW

Camp Harney, Oregon

1,500 cords of WOOD,
2,500 bushels of CHARCOAL,
100,000 pounds of BARLEY (sacked),
100,000 pounds of OATS (sacked),
850,000 pounds of HAY,
250,000 pounds of STRAW.

Linkville, Oregon.

1,150,000 pounds of OATS,
1,350 000 pounds of HAY,
325 000 pounds of STRAW

Proposals must be in triplicate, giving the postoffice address of the bidder, with one copy of this advertisement attached.

The prices in U. S. currency must be expressed in writing as well as in figures, and all bids for Hay and Wood must state the kind to be delivered.

The whole or any portion of the supplies may be bid for, *but no average bids* will be entertained.

No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by a guarantee signed by two responsible parties that they will enter into bonds for the faithful delivery of the supplies should the contract be awarded to the bidder.

The United States reserves the right to receive the whole or any portion of the supplies that may be contracted for, also to reject any or all bids.

The final award for any post will not be made until the bids made by the post have been received and compared with the bids received at this office.

Separate proposals must be made for each post, and each proposal in a separate envelope plainly endorsed: "Proposals for furnishing Supplies at

Blank proposals can be had on application at this office.

R. BAXTON,
Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. A.,
Chief Quartermaster,
Department of the Columbia.

TRANSPORTATION.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA, PORTLAND, OREGON, Jan 27, 1873.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this Office and at the Office of the Chief Quartermaster, Military Division of the Pacific, in San Francisco, California, until noon of Monday, the 31st day of March, 1873, for transporting U. S. Military stores, supplies and mails, during the ensuing year, commencing 1st July, 1873, and ending 30th June, 1874, over the following routes:—

Route No. 1.—600 tons, more or less, from San Francisco, Cal. to Portland, Oregon.

Route No. 2.—50 tons, more or less, from San Francisco, Cal to Astoria, Oregon.

Route No. 3.—300 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, to Vancouver, W. T.

Route No. 4.—200 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Astoria, Oregon.

Route No 5.—200 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Sitka, Alaska

Route No 6.—100 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Camp San Juan Island, W. T.

Route No. 7.—100 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon or Vancouver, W. T., to Fort Townshend, W. T.

Route No. 8.—100 tons, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Pajoune Landing, W. T.

Route No. 9.—200,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Fort Lapwai, I. T.

Route No. 10.—240,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Fort Colville, W. T.

Route No 11.—300,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Fort Boise, I. T.

Route No. 12.—300,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Camp Harney, Oregon.

Route No 13.—300,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Camp Warner, Oregon.

Route No. 14.—700,000 pounds, more or less, from Portland, Oregon, or Vancouver, W. T., to Walla Walla, W. T.

Route No. 15.—200,000 pounds, more or less, from Winnemucca, Nevada, to Fort Boise, I. T.

Route No 16.—300,000 pounds, more or less, from terminus Nevada to Camp Harney, Oregon

Route No. 17.—300,000 pounds, more or less, from Reno, Nevada, to Camp Warner, Oregon

Route No 18.—200,000 pounds, more or less, from terminus O. & C. R. R. (Cal branch) to Fort Klamath, Oregon

Route No 19.—200,000 pounds, more or less, from terminus O. & C. R. R. (Oregon branch) to Fort Klamath Oregon

Route No. 20.—200,000 pounds, more or less, from terminus O. & C. R. R. (Oregon branch), via Canyonville and Galley's Pass to fort Klamath, Oregon

Route No 21.—300 000 pounds, more or less, from San Francisco, Cal., via Crescent City to Fort Klamath Oregon

Route No 22.—200 000 pounds, more or less, from Roseburg, Oregon, to Linkville, Oregon.

Route No 23.—900,000 pounds, more or less, from Pajoune Landing to points in Washington and Idaho Territories, north of the Columbia and Snake rivers, and east of the Columbia

Route No. 24.—600,000 pounds, more or less, from Walla Walla W. T., to points in Washington and Idaho Territories, as above specified.

Route No 25.—900,000 pounds, more or less, from Dalles, Oregon, to points in Oregon, south of the Blue Mountains and east of the Cascade range

Route No 26.—600,000 pounds, more or less from Winnemucca Nevada, to points in Oregon and Idaho, east of the Cascade range and south of the 44° of north latitude

For Transporting U. S. Military Mails &c.

Route No. 27.—Port Townshend, W. T., and Camp San Juan Island, W. T.

Route No 28.—Between Astoria, Oregon, Fort Stevens, Oregon, and Fort Cape Disappointment, W. T.

Route No. 29.—Between Camp Warner, Oregon, and Camp Bidwell, California

Route No. 30.—Between Fort Klamath, Oregon, and Linkville Oregon

Proposals must be in triplicate and have a copy of this advertisement attached.

The following requirements must be strictly adhered to:—

All bids must be in U. S. currency, and the amount expressed in writing as well as in figures.

Bids for transportation by water must state whether the service is to be rendered by steam or sailing vessels.

Bids for transportation by land will state in how many days the stores will be delivered after being received at the starting point, and will also state the rates at which stores will be transported during the winter months, from 1st November to 31st March, and in how many days.

Over routes Nos. 1 to 8 bids must state the rate per ton (ship measurement), over routes Nos. 9 to 22, the rate per pound, and over routes Nos. 23 to 29, the rate per pound per hundred miles. Full particulars of requirements over routes Nos 27 to 30, can be had on application to this office.

All contracts to go in force 1st July, 1873 and on land routes 15 days notice will be given to contractors of the quantity of any articles to be transported at any one time.

The same guarantees as with bids for supplies will be required before they can be entertained.

Separate bids *for each route* required.

The United States reserves the right to deliver the whole or any portion of the stores specified above to the contractor, also to reject any or all bids.

Blank proposals will be furnished on application to this office.

Each proposal must be in a separate envelope and plainly endorsed outside "Proposals for Route No —"

RUFUS SAXTON,
Deputy Quartermaster General U. S. A.,
Chief Quartermaster.

B.L. Stone 111 First st

NEW TO-DAY.

BARR & KINGSLEY.

Have opened a FULL STOCK of

Boots and Shoes

AT

No. 135 First St.

Prof. Wm. H. Ayler

HAS REMOVED HIS SPLENDID HARBER SHOP from Pitcher's Brick to No 88 First Street, (formerly Gatan's Saloon) where he is ready to accomm date the public. Shaving, Hair Cutting Shampooing, etc done in a manner warranted to give satisfaction. Prices cheap. Give him a call. [23dw1

J. H. BRENNER,

Professor of Music!

Lessons given on the

VIOLIN PIANO and ORGAN.

AT

GRAY'S MUSIC STORE or AT CHARLES HOTEL

Music furnished for Parties and Balls

ARMY SUPPLIES.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA, PORTLAND, OREGON, Jan. 27, 1873.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until noon of Tuesday, the 1st day of April, 1873, to furnish the Quartermaster's Department of Portland, Oregon, with the following named articles, at such times and in such quantities as may from time to time be required, during the ensuing fiscal year, as per following partial lists

Stationery.

100 reams LETTER PAPER,
50 reams FOOLSCAP PAPER,
10 reams LEGAL CAP PAPER
1,000 sheets BLOTTING PAPER
100 gross STEEL PENS,
100 dozen LEAD PENCILS,
25 000 ENVELOPES,
400 pints BLACK INK,
300 bottles RED INK,
300 bottles MUCILAGE,

Hardware

900 FILES assorted,
6 000 lbs IRON assorted,
2 500 lbs HORSE and MULE SHOE NAILS,
2,000 lbs BOLTS,
15,000 lbs HORSE and MULE SHOES
10 000 lbs CUT NAILS,
700 lbs FINISHING NAILS,
900 lbs WROUGHT NAILS

Stoves

30 COOKING STOVES,
30 HEATING STOVES,
25 BOX STOVES,
000 Joints STOVEPIPE,
200 STOVEPIPE ELBOWS.

Saddlery

200 HORSE BRUSHES,
150 CURRY COMBS,
136 MULE COLLARS
72 HORSE COLLARS,
2,000 lbs HARNESS LEATHER
76 lbs BRIDLE LEATHER
00 SHEEPSKINS

Paints

500 lbs CHROME GREEN
60 lbs CHROME YELLOW
30,000 lbs WHITE LEAD
300 lbs BLACK PAINT
200 lbs YELLOW OCHRE

Oils.

400 galls. BOILED OIL
10 galls RAW OIL
200 galls TURPENTINE

Horse Medicines.

20 qts LAUDANUM
100 bots MUSTANG LINIMENT,
28 galls. OLIVE OIL
24 bots GARGLING OIL.
50 lbs ALOES.

Wheelwright Timber.

125 WAGON HOWS
10,000 FEET HARDWOOD TIMBER.
800 SPOKES,
600 FELLOES,
WINDOW FRAMES, FRAMES, &C
25 DOORS
32 WINDOW SASHES.

Proposals are only required for articles of the best quality, and from parties actually dealing in them, (omit as stationery from stationers, &c.,) and must be in triplicate with a copy of this advertisement attached, enclosed in an envelope and plainly marked: "Proposals for

Further particulars can be obtained upon application to this office, where complete lists of all articles will be furnished.

R. BAXTON,
Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. A.,
Chief Quartermaster.

NEW BOOKS

Received by

G. A. Steel & Co.,

75 First Street.

TAINES' ENGLISH LITERATURE, CONDENSED, $2 50.
LIVINGSTONE AND HIS AFRICAN EXPLORATIONS, $1 50.
MODERN LEADERS, by Justin McCarty, $1 50.
HOME AND THE PAPACY, Its men, manners and Government in the 19th Century, $1 75.
THE MINNESINGER OF GERMANY, $2 25.
FONCINE, by RUFUS SAXTON, $1 50.
LITERARY REMINISCENCES, DeQuincy, $1 50.
THE ARTIST'S LOVE, Mrs. Southworth, $1 75.
AT HIS GATES, Mrs Oliphant, $1 50
THE DOCTOR'S DILEMMA, Hesba Stretton, 75c.
VERY FAR WEST INDEED, $1.
EARTINGTON'S PATCHWORKS, $1 75.
GUY RAMESCOURT'S WIFE, May Agnes Fleming, $1 75.
TABLES AT TEA TIME, $1 50.
SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS, $1 25.
STRANGE ADVENTURES, 75c.
BROKEN DREAMS, $1 50
PIONEERS AND PATRIOTS OF AMERICA, $1 50;
And many other valuable and interesting works just received per steamer *Ajax*. G. A. STEEL & CO.

I MEAN IT!

I. Sinsheimer,

FIRST, BET. TAYLOR AND SALMON,

Is Selling

AT COST!

His entire Stock of New and Second Hand

Pianos,

Organs, and

Musical Goods.

THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE!

Repairing & Tuning!

DONE PROMPTLY and SATISFACTORILY.

WELCH & MORGAN,

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Manufacturers and Importers of

SADDLES, HARNESS.

KIPP'S GENUINE

SANTA CRUZ HARNESS LEATHER.

ALSO

Hill's Concord Terms, Stage and Buggy Harness.

We warrant all articles, which we sell at LOWEST RATES.

GOLD,

VELVET,

SATIN,

AND OTHER

WALL PAPER,

Window Shades,

Etc., Etc.—for sale by

GEORGE L. STORY

45 Front Street.

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO'S

NOTICE:

CHANGE OF TIME!

Kalama Route.

BEGINNING ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1873, the steamer *Fannie Troup* will leave Portland at 7 o'clock P. M.

jan27dtw THEO WYGANT, Secretary

Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE NINTH day of November, my wife Mary E. Carlile left my bed and board, without just cause or provocation, and that I will pay no debts contracted by her.

G. P. CARLILE

Portland, Nov 9, 1872. [29dtf

6,000 lbs. Fire Clay,

15,000 FIRE BRICKS.

JUST RECEIVED, EX BARK "LOCH DEE." For sale in lots to suit, by

EVERDING & BEEBE.

Shade Trees.

WM. BUTTS IS PREPARED TO FURNISH AND set out Shade Trees, and will also furnish SOD TOP-SOIL and MANURE to those desiring to set out TREES and GARDENS. Will also accept orders for

GRADING AND STREET WORK.

Residence near cor Fifth and Caruthers sts.

$500 IN COIN GIVEN AWAY!

At the Photograph Sale Room

OPPOSITE THE FASHION LIVERY STABLE,

First Street,

Commencing Saturday Even'g, Jan 25.

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WATCH REPAIRING DONE WITH PROMPTNESS and Cheapness, at B. L. Stone's.

Amusements.

LORO FINO THEATER.

LESSEE AND MANAGER ... A. B. WALDRON

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 30, 1873,

BENEFIT OF THE TREASURER,

Mr. J. R. Ladd.

Will be produced for the First Time in this City the ROMANTIC DRAMA, entitled

THE LAST MAN!

RECITATION S. PIERCY
SINGING SONG W. C. CROSBIE

To conclude with the Celebrated Comedy of

He Would and She Wouldn't.

FESTIVAL!

The Ladies of the

First Congregational Church,

Will hold a FESTIVAL

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CHURCH,

ON

Friday Eve'g, Jan. 31.

REFRESHMENTS OF ALL KINDS

Will be served

Fancy Articles for Sale!

ADMISSION ..... 25 cts.

[28dtf THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED

TO THE CITIZENS OF PORTLAND!

The German Benevolent Society

Will hold a

GRAND FESTIVAL

On Feb. 3d, 4th, 5th, and 6th.

AT MASONIC HALL

Among the features of the enterprise will be

A BAZAR AND LOTTERY!

The Festivities will conclude with

A Grand Ball!

On the last evening.

ALL THE MONEY WHICH REMAINS AFTER the payment of expenses will be devoted to the construction of

A GERMAN HOSPITAL IN THIS CITY.

The aid of the citizens of Portland is respectfully solicited. Donations of proper articles for disposal at the Festival will be gratefully received, and may be left with J. C. Mensendorfer, corner of Morrison and Front Sts; Frank Dekum, First St.; A Moller & Co., Front St; and office of German paper.

THE COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

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CARDINELL'S

Dancing Academy!

ASH STREET BET. FRONT & FIRST.

ROOM FOR MORE SCHOLARS.

PROF O. S. FOWLER, OF NEW YORK AND BOSton, will lecture on PHRENOLOGY and HUMAN NATURE, through Oregon this winter. Courses of lectures can be secured by addressing him at San Francisco, California. nddawdm

Ocean Steamers.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

Carrying the U. S. Mail.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S STEAMship

ORIFLAMME

FRANCIS CONNER, Commander.

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F Street, for the above port

MONDAY, FEB. 3, 1873

At 4 o'clock, P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner F and Front Streets.

GEO W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For Port Townsend, Seattle, Steilacoom, Olympia and Victoria.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S STEAM Propeller

GUSSIE TELFAIR,

JOHN HAYES..... Commander.

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F Street, for the above ports

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30th, 1873,

At 4 o'clock P. M.

Foreign cargo must be cleared by shipper before 12 o'clock on sailing day.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front Street.

GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For San Juan, Nanaimo and Sitka.

Carrying the United States Mail.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S STEAM Propeller

GEO. S. WRIGHT,

T. J. AINSLEY..... Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F Street, for the above ports, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1873.

At — o'clock P. M.

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GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent

NOTICE.

Office of Oregon Steamship Company,

Portland, July 11, 1872.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE THE STEAMERS of the Oregon Steamship Company will carry no passengers from Astoria to Portland.

GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

Boots & Shoes.

PACIFIC

BOOT & SHOE STORE

GEO. A. PEASE,

Successor to

PROTZMAN, CALLINAN & CO.,

S. W. CORNER FIRST AND MORRISON STS.

HERE WE ARE.

E. Cahalin & Co.,

Have opened what

BOOTS AND SHOES

They saved from the fire in the

Theater Building.

AND

MORE TO BE ADDED.

SELLING AT COST FOR CASH!

H. STRETZEL,

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER!

Will be found on

246 Stark, bet. First and Second streets.

HIS FRIENDS AND PUBLIC WILL PLEASE CALL and see him.

Millinery Goods.

P. VAN FRIDAGH,

FRENCH MILLINERY & DRY GOODS

STORE,

No. 79 First Street,

DEKUM'S BUILDING.

McLERAN'S MILLS,

Front St., Portland.

McLERAN & STEEL, Prop'rs.

We are manufacturing

A SUPERIOR QUALITY,

And offer for sale

Wholesale and Retail,

EXTRA FLOUR, OAT MEAL (Superfine),
SUPERFINE FLOUR, OAT GROATS,
GRAHAM FLOUR, SPLIT PEAS,
RYE FLOUR, CRACKED WHEAT,
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, JOHN MEAL, Yellow
HOMINY, Large and and White,
Small, BRAN,
MIDDLINGS and CHOPS.

WE EMPLOY A MAN FROM SCOTLAND, WHO thoroughly understands the business. The mill has been recently built for drying grain, so that we can guarantee our Oat Meal to keep for years in a fresh state.

The Trade Supplied at lowest living rates. Orders Solicited.

FLIEDNER BROS.,

FIRST STREET,

NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE,

Opposite the Odd Fellows' Temple,

Have just opened ONE OF THE FINEST

Hair Dressing & Shaving Saloons

ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

ALSO

Bath Rooms!

IN EXCELLENT STYLE,

And for the accommodation of LADIES and FAMILIES

Private Entrance for Ladies on Alder Street, between Front and First

C. J. GRAHAM,

The Pioneer Barber!

Has opened

ON MORRISON STREET,

ONE DOOR WEST OF FIRST.

OLD CUSTOMERS AND NEW ONES WILL BE AT home at his place

ORDERS FOR MUSIC & PROMPTING

WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION

$20 DENTISTRY REDUCED! $20

At my Residence and Office on MAIN St.,

OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE,

BET. FOURTH and FIFTH,

IN ORDER THAT EVERYBODY MAY ENJOY THE comfort and pleasure arising from a PERFECT ADJUSTED SET OF TEETH, the following prices will be maintained. *An Entire Set of Upper Teeth*, $20; *For Set of Teeth*, $12; *Extraction of Teeth* 50c

REFERENCES—Patrons J. W. D DGE.

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Auction and Commission.

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AUCTIONEER

Corner of Front and Oak Streets.

AUCTION SALES

OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL CHANDISE AND HORSES

Sale Days—Wednesday and Saturday,

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At Private Sale.

Large assortment of GROCERIES & LIQUORS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

To parties declining Housekeeping I will mention that I will Purchase Second Hand Furniture

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Regular and Peremptory Sale

OF

GROCERIES,

FURNITURE,

DRY GOODS,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

I WILL SELL AT MY AUCTION SALESROOM ON account of whom it may concern, all goods consigned,

SATURDAY, FEB. 1, 1873,

At 10 o'clock, A. M.

Groceries:

25 half bbls ISLAND SUGAR,
225 bxs C O SOAP,
70 bxs S D SOAP,
25 bxs APRICOT TOBACCO,
120 cases ASSORTED FRUITS.

ALSO.

23 half bbls XXX WHISKY,
20 cases BITTERS,
20 cases EYE OPENER.

ALSO

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The Carpet Emporium of
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BEEN SAVED!
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According to Latest Fashions.
EXAMINE THIS STOCK.
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Has enlarged his
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Box Factory.
ER & COYNE, Proprietors,
Saw Mills, eastside Front street between
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E NOW MANUFACTURING ALL KINDS
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M. BURTON,
ARCHITECT,
OOM No. 17.
DEKUM'S BUILDING.

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 30, 1873

CITY.

THE LANDER CASE.—Complaint was made to the Police Judge about two weeks ago, by a Mrs Lander, who stated that her husband, L O Lander Sr., committed an assault on her person by knocking her down with a crutch. A warrant was issued and the defendant taken into custody at once. The case was postponed several times and the defendant at length released on bail. After much delay and trouble the case was set for trial in the Police Court yesterday morning. When the wife, who was the complaining witness in the case, was placed on the stand, she declined to testify against her husband. On being asked by the District Attorney if she knew anything concerning the alleged offense with which the prisoner at the bar stood charged, she stated that he had never assaulted her at all; she was wholly mistaken at the time she swore to the complaint; the blow she received on the head was caused by her falling against a bed post, and not a blow dealt by the husband. It appearing that the woman would not appear against her liege lord, the Court dismissed the case, discharged the prisoner and taxed the costs, about $20, against the woman. She was not able to pay the amount and was accordingly sent to jail until the costs were forthcoming.

INCORPORATED.—In the County Clerk's office yesterday, articles of incorporation were filed by J W Clayton, M. F. Moore and J. L. Shute.

The name of the corporation is designated as the East Portland Railway Company, and shall continue for a period of 99 years.

The incorporation is formed for the business of building and operating a street railway upon the streets of East Portland, to lay down and maintain an iron railroad track or tracks, to operate and run cars thereon, to be drawn by horses or mules, and to convey for hire passengers or freight.

The office of the incorporation is to be located in East Portland.

The amount of capital stock is placed at $50,000, to consist of 500 shares, of $100 each.

The street railway is to be constructed along the following streets: Holladay's Avenue, Fourth, Fifth, Twelfth, Second, Asylum, W. J. G. and Water streets.

LAND SLIDE.—Last Sunday a land slide occurred on the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad, north of Kalama. The slide was large, but occasioned no delay to the regular trains. About fifty men were engaged in removing the debris within half an hour after the dislodged earth covered the track. After the loose earth was displaced to within several feet of the rails, a new track was laid over the slide, which was several rods in length. The grade for that short distance was quite sharp, but the trains crossed without incurring five minutes delay. The new track was laid only temporarily, the reason being that the men were doubtful about removing all the slide by the time the train should arrive. To attempt to displace the earth and stones down to the old track would require more time than to put down new rails *de interim*, besides running the risk of having the slide come in from each side and fill up the cleared space.

BEING RIGGED.—The bark *Almatia* is at present lying at Victoria, having new masts put in. This vessel was dismasted several weeks ago during a protracted and violent storm on the north coast. She narrowly escaped total destruction. Subsequently she was towed into Victoria, in a badly damaged condition. The hull was but slightly damaged, but the masts and rigging were cut away, the former having been swept from the deck. New masts and rigging are supplying the place of the old, and such minor repairs are being made to the hull. Formerly the *Almatia* was a bark, but now she is being rigged after the fashion of a barkentine. Ten days it is thought will be sufficient time to put the vessel in proper sailing trim. She is under charter to carry a cargo of lumber from Burrard's Inlet to Australia. After fulfilling the present charter, it is not known on what line the *Almatia* will be placed.

INDICATIVE OF ENTERPRISE.—Our younger sister across the river has ever evinced a very creditable degree of enterprise. Within the last five years the town has made very rapid advancement in the erection of new buildings, and the improvement of the streets. The population has more than doubled, and in no respect have any of the inhabitants thereof displayed a lack of those elements indispensable to success and prosperity. The latest indication of enterprise is the incorporation of a street railroad company, by several of the citizens of East Portland. The movement is, no doubt, rather in advance of the requirements of the nascent city; but it shows the progressive ideas of its citizens, and is an investment which, if conducted on proper business principles, will doubtless yield handsome profits in a few years.

ADOLF OR DRIFT.—As the steamer *Emma Hayward* was on the way from Kalama to this port yesterday morning, the pilot observed a small piece of drift wood floating down toward the boat. The boat was steered off so as to avoid a collision. But the portion which was visible above the surface of the water, proved to be only a very small part of the drift. At least three fourths of the log—for so it proved—was out of sight. The water was too muddy to enable the pilot to perceive the danger. He continued on when the hidden portion of the drift came violently in contact with the rudder and wheel. The rudder post was considerably bent, and some of the "float boards" were damaged. The extent of the damages were not slight, and occasioned no delay whatever.

NEW FOREMAST.—The steamer *California* is still lying along side the lower saw mill. The old foremast of the vessel, which was badly shattered about one year since by the bursting of the signal gun, has been taken down and a new one substituted. The new mast is nearly finished, and will be attached to the steamer in a few days. Since the accident with the gun the old foremast was strongly braced just above where the timber pierced the deck floor. Thus far it has been made to answer the required purposes, but was unable to stand a heavy strain, and not considered entirely safe.

NEGOTIATIONS COMPLETED.—Judge Hiram Jackson, of Washington county, has just effected a loan, by order of the County Court, of $3,000, with the banking firm of Ladd & Tilton of this city. The loan was negotiated for two years at one per cent per month, rate of interest payable quarterly, not in advance. This loan was effected for the purpose of enabling the county to liquidate all the indebtedness incurred in the erection of a large and handsome Court House at Hillsboro, which was completed a short time since.

CABLE STRETCHED.—A new telegraphic cable arrived from Victoria on the *Queene Telfair* yesterday. Soon after it was landed, Mr Guild, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, caused it to be stretched from near the foot of J street, East Portland, to the rear portion of the telegraph office. It was laid almost directly in the line of the old broken cable, and opens telegraphic communication with the eastside. Dispatches can now be received and sent from the office, without the inconvenience of crossing the river.

REACHED PORT SAFELY.—We are pleased to note the fact that the bark *David Hoadley*, concerning the safety of which, apprehensions were felt some weeks since, has returned all right. A very severe gale arose during the passage of the vessel from Nanaimo to the Sound, while in tow of the tug *Cyrus Walker*. The two vessels were separated by the violence of the storm. Apprehensions were felt for the safety of the bark, but a few days subsequent she arrived at port, having experienced no damages whatever.

NOT REPAIRED.—That portion of the dry dock at Oregon City which was carried away some weeks since during the heavy freshet, has not yet been repaired. The repairs could be made to the breach at any stage of water, as the gates to the dry dock can be closed down and the water shut off. There being no pressing necessity for the breach to be closed up, the work will probably not be done before next spring.

A GOOD APPOINTMENT.—We learn that F. S. Crosby, Esq., has been appointed light house keeper at Cape Foulweather. Mr. Crosby was light house keeper at Umpqua for a number of years before the lighthouse there fell down by the washing away of the sandy foundation. His fidelity and adaptability to the duties of the position there doubtless had much to do in securing his appointment now.

IN EARNEST.—The Wallamet appears to be in earnest about coming up. Quantities of drift began to pass yesterday, a certain indication of the disposition of the stream. The current increased in strength and the waters look angry and turbid. The heavy rains on last Saturday night is what's the matter.

RETURNED.—Rev Dr. A. L. Lindsley returned to this city yesterday after an absence of nearly a week on the Sound. During last week he delivered a lecture at Olympia on the subject of "Hands and Hearts." Dr. Lindsley reports the results of his visit as being profitable and satisfactory. He states that the railroad from Kalama to Tenino is in good condition and trains are running regularly.

A BIG MOVE.—The large building on Second street, 200x13 feet now occupied by Miller & Acker as a livery stable, will shortly be moved to the lot made vacant by the removal of the stable formerly occupied by the Oregon Transfer Co. The buildings occupying the space in the rear of the vacant lot will be removed to make room for the large building.

OFF THE BAR.—The steamer *Queene Telfair*, which arrived yesterday morning from the Sound, reports six vessels off the bar. Four of the vessels were identified as the *Victoria Cross*, *Rhone*, *Penang* and *Jane A Falkinburg*. Two other barkentines were off but not spoken. The *Falkinburg* was near the bar and is probably in the river at this writing.

HELD TO ANSWER.—A man named S. Royse was arrested yesterday in Justice Ryan's court on a charge of threatening to do bodily harm to the person of a Mr. Baldwin. After a preliminary hearing of the case, the Court held the defendant to answer in the sum of $1,000 before the Grand Jury at its next meeting.

CONTRACT TO BE LET.—The contract for the repairing and rebuilding of the Woolen Mills at Oregon City, will be let on the first of the month. Arrangement have been effected by which operations will be commenced immediately after awarding the contract, and prosecuted to completion.

NO PERFORMANCE.—The inclemency of the weather last evening occasioned a very sparse attendance at the theater. The same bill offered on Tuesday was announced. There being but a very few persons in the house, the money was refunded, and no performance was given.

MEETING OF PRINTERS.—The printers of the city of Portland are requested to meet at the *Herald* office on Saturday at three o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action in the matter of the proposed monument to be erected by the craft to the memory of Horace Greeley.

BALANCE PAID.—Judge Jackson, Treasurer of Washington county, paid yesterday to Mr. Fleischner, State Treasurer, the remaining taxes due the State from that county. The total taxes paid into the State Treasury by Washington county is $8,738.

FROM HONOLULU.—The barkentine *Jane A. Falkinburg* was reported off the bar Tuesday. Ere this, the vessel is probably in the river. She comes from Honolulu with a cargo of sugar, molasses and tropical fruits.

CONVALESCING.—The friends of Mr. A J Marshall, Street Commissioner, will be gratified to learn that he is rapidly convalescing, and will be fully able to attend to his allotted duties in the course of a few days.

RESUMED.—The steamer *Fannie Troup* resumed the line yesterday afternoon between Portland and Kalama. The damage done to her engine on Monday morning was repaired.

FROM VICTORIA.—The steamer *Queene Telfair* arrived yesterday morning from Victoria and way ports. She brought a light freight and a few passengers.

A TRIBUTE TO A FRIEND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

When a good man passes away it is meet and right that his virtues should not go unrecorded and in the death of the late George W. Brown this community has sustained a loss it could poorly afford. His energy and faithful business qualities have already been noticed, but the superior virtues of his nature, his daily life, are also worthy of record. A graduate from one of the Eastern colleges, he was a man of learning and ability, but was chiefly remarkable for his child-like simplicity and purity of character, to which little of the world's uncleanness would ever cling. For ward in all deeds of charity and benevolence he gave freely—too freely for his own advantage—of the means obtained by his daily labor. Clear-headed, warm hearted, faithful and true, the proudest might well be proud that he was their friend. Like all who can look into their own hearts and find no evil there, it was hard for him to believe ill of others, and it is doubtful to those who knew him well, if he ever realized that his own life was that of a thorough practical Christian. But if such a nature, such a life, can fit a man to enter upon the life beyond, surely he was fitted. The was he no fulsome flattery or deserved greatness, but is a simple and just tribute to a life of rare nobility and goodness. How many could be taken suddenly from life and leave such a record behind them?

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PORTLAND, JAN. 29th, 1873.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Prof. Aylor will treat you tonsorially in first class style at 88 First street.

Barr & Kingsley await the presence of their friends and the public at their new store, No. 135 First street. Drop in.

Messrs Laidlaw & Gale, importers and commission merchants, are offering at their storeroom a full line of whiskies, wines, malt liquors, the celebrated Peoria starch, rice, oils, soaps and other goods. A large assortment of English goods will shortly arrive, making the stock complete in every department. This new firm make liberal advances on consignments of wheat, flour and other produce, and pay particular attention to orders on foreign merchants. We commend this house to city as well as country merchants. Read the advertisement in another column.

AMUSEMENTS.

Mr. J. R. Ladd, who has been treasurer of the Waldron troupe for some months, will be tendered a complimentary benefit at Ore Fino Theater this evening. The programme for the occasion will consist of the drama entitled "The Last Man," a recitation by Mr. Peircy, a recitation by Mr. Crosbie, and concluding with the laughable comedy of "He Would and She Wouldn't."

PERSONAL.

Hon. Hyer Jackson, Treasurer of Washington county, is now in the city. He favored us with a call yesterday.

PUNCH'S POCKET BOOK.—We have been favored with an early copy of this extraordinary work, and we do not feel that we have received any favor at all, though doubtless the gift was prompted by the best intentions. An examination of the work has entirely disturbed our system, and caused us to neglect our daily duties. When we state that the volume is adorned with a superb plate called "Science in her Silver Slippers," by the indomitable Keene, with a series of minature cartoons, by the inexpungable Tenniel, with a mass of comic inspirations by the inextinguishable Sambourne, and with a wealth of fairy-like gems of initials by other accomplished parties, we shall be thought to have said enough. But we do not, ourselves, share in the thought, and when we proceed to mention that there is a mass of literature composed of the choicest specimens of graceful yet mordant satire, of lyrics in which the playful maintains successful grapple with the ferocious, of a Very Last Idyll which must have been written by the Poet-Laureate, or by some one else, of a court novel which will excite, it may be, no small indignation, and of a perfect instructor in all foreign languages, which will enable the feeblest linguist to talk like a Goethe or a Lamartine, we find that we have only half exhausted the catalogue of artistic and literative treasures to be found under the brilliantly-colored binding of this most exquisite of all Christmas books. But that we hate puffing and rather prefer to under state the merits of a work than to bestow on it the highest exaggerated praise, we could say much more, but though he who dares more than can become a man is none, he who doth not lay his hand upon this book in the way of kindness, and give it to every woman he knows, is a wretch whom it were base flattery to call an awful idiot.—*Punch*.

ONCE MORE ON THE TRACK.—C. M. Martin has settled down to "biz" again. He occupies that commodious room at the northeast corner of First and Yamhill streets. Of course, it is understood that the stock of Groceries he has opened is large and excellent in every particular. If you can't get what you want at his place, the chances are no one looking for the desired article. He will be ably assisted in waiting upon the numerous customers that are sure to flock to his place to buy. Don't forget the new Store when you pass up First street to-day.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dismal, rainy weather.

Steamer due to-morrow.

Stark street just west of Front is in a deplorable condition.

Mr. R. King lost a valuable house dog yesterday by poison.

Several boys while playing on one of the back streets were run over by an express wagon.

The old awning at Fishel & Roberts' corner has been replaced by a more substantial one.

Capt. Kingsley has quit treading the decks of steamers and is now in the boot and shoe business.

The barkentine *Malanthon*, Patterson, master, sailed from San Francisco for this port on the 24th inst.

Stamping out fire crackers after they have been flung in the streets constitute a lively pastime among the young hoodlums during the Chinese new year.

The local editor of an exchange is overtaxing his brain in endeavoring to decide whether a certain man is "insane or demented." His friends entertain hopes of his ultimate recovery.

The schooner *Oregonian*, seven days out, has arrived at San Francisco. Her cargo consisted of 1,539 bars of railroad iron, seventy thousand feet of lumber and thirty cords stave bolts.

A chimney flue of Mr Dodge's house on Washington street, was discovered to be on fire last evening. The fire was extinguished without sounding an alarm. No damage sustained.

A large quantity of rope arrived by the *Queene Telfair*, which goes to the paper mills to-morrow. This rope was part of the stuff sold at the sale of the ship *Sparrowhawk* last December. The *Queene Telfair* will sail for the Sound ports to-day.

An Eastern exchange says Col Joe Meek, of Oregon, visited the locality on the headwaters of the Yellowstone, now known as the National Park, in the year 1829, and claims to have been the first white man who ever traversed that then almost unknown region.

In some towns when the street cars get off the track the drivers and conductors go to lunch and leave the passengers to wade through the mud as best they can. In consequence the moral atmosphere of the city is often tinged with profanity. If that practice was followed up in Portland it would soon be necessary to import missionaries.

A poetical youth living near Yreka, a few days ago sent a note to his neighbor's wife, inviting her to meet him 'neath the pale rays of the German-silvery moon. She didn't go, but her husband did, and the doctor thinks that having the loss of his nose, one ago, and two or three dozen teeth, the young man will soon be as well as ever.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

The following is taken from the annual report of the Police Commissioners, A. B. Hallock, President, which was presented to the Common Council last evening:

The number of arrests made during 1872, by the police force, for offenses committed against the State, are classified as follows: Assault and battery, 206; larceny, 147; threatening to kill, 10; larceny by bailee, 7; defacing buildings, 15; adultery, 8; obtaining money under false pretenses, 5; rape, 1; assault, 3; robbery, 1; malicious injury to property, 3; assault with a dangerous weapon, 8; murder, 4; abduction, 3; perjury, 5; selling liquor to Indians, 3; illegal voting, 1; talking to jury, 1; receiving stolen goods, 2; burglary, 1; disturbing religious worship, 1; selling unwholesome meat, 1; accessory to felony, 1; threatening an injury to another, 1; attempt at larceny, 1—making a total of 435. Of these 404 were males and 31 females.

THE FINES AND FEES

Collected from those cases were as follows:

Fines paid in court	$ 883 46	
Judges' fees paid in court	1,016 75	
Judges' fees paid by County	2,372 85	$ 3,289 60
Chief of Police fees paid in court	$ 845 75	
Chief of Police paid by County	1,207 00	$ 1,752 75
Attorneys paid in court	$ 600 00	
Attorneys paid by county	1,170 90	$ 1 800 00
Total		$ 6,902 35

During the year, arrests have been made as follows for city offenses: Drunk and disorderly, 1,111; disorderly by fighting, 14; vagrants, 16; indecent exposure, 4; insane, 3; abusive and obscene language, 9; peddling without license, 6; carrying concealed weapons, 12; defaulting witness, 5; selling liquor without license, 17; fast driving, 5; permitting a nuisance, 5; resisting an officer, 3; riding on the sidewalk, 2; keeping hotel without license, 2, contempt of court, 2; running an opera house without a license, 1, throwing glass in the street, 1; failing to report a case of smallpox, 1—making a total of 1,219, 86 of whom were females. The fines paid were $5,092 35. The total number of arrests made during 1872 are 1,654.

The expenses of the police force for the year 1872, audited and paid by warrants upon the City Treasury, are as follows:

Salaries of Chief of Police	$ 600 00
" Captains of Police	2,466 67
" Policemen	12,912 50
Salaries of extra Policemen for election duty	45 00
Salaries of extra Policemen for fire duty	142 50
Salaries of Commissioner and incidentals	944 75
Total	$ 17,104 42

The receipts of the Police Court for the year have been on follows.

From fines paid the Police Judge	$ 5,676 20
From fees of the Police Judge	2,289 03
From fees Chief of Police, $4,722 75; less his commission, 634 35	1,168 60
Total	$ 10,131 40
Deduct amount of fees collected in State cases for the county	633 45
Net receipts	$ 9,500 95

We estimate the expenses of the police force, etc., for the year ending December 31st, 1872, as follows:

For salary of Chief of Police, at $125 per month	1,500 00
For salary of two Captains at $100 per month	2,400 00
For salary of ten Policemen, at $90 per month	14,400 00
For salary of five Policemen, at $75 per month	4,500 00
For pay of Commissioners and incidentals	1,800 00
Total	$24,240 00

We note the appointment of Sylvester C Simpson, Esq., of Salem, as Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State. The ripe scholarship of Mr. Simpson, and his familiarity with the public school system of the State, qualify him in an eminent degree for the duties of the important position to which he has been chosen.

The French people talk of the monarchy as if it were already an established fact. A Paris dispatch of the 23d instant says:

Legitimist deputies say Count de Paris will visit Count Chambord in a few days to compromise in regard to the white flag. It is anticipated Chambord will insist on retaining the white flag as the royal standard, but will consent to allow the army to keep the tri color.

A dispatch describing the corpse of Louis Napoleon as it lay in the coffin says: "The upper lip is bare, the moustache having been cut off to facilitate the taking of a plaster cast." We hope that if those casts are to be reproduced the moustache will be added. Louis Napoleon without that grand moustache, which was such a distinctive feature in his countenance, would be almost unrecognizable.

GLORIOUS NEWS! GLORIOUS NEWS!—The popular and largest Clothing House in the State escaped the great fire, and will therefore sell for the next sixty days their goods at such low rates as to give all a chance to invest, rich or poor. Call and satisfy yourself, as we mean what we say above, and no humbug about it.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING, JAN. 22, 1873.

The Common Council of the City of Portland, met pursuant to ordinance.

His Honor, Mayor Wasserman, being absent, E. D Backenstos, Clerk pro tem., called the Council to order.

Present—Councilmen Besser, Burton, Caywood, Hallock, Mordand and Story.

Absent—Councilmen Congle, Hill, and Russell.

On motion Councilman Hallock was chosen President pro tem.

PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Petition of J. S. Smith and others for the establishment of the grade of Ninth street at Madison, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Petition of John Oathn and others for the establishment of the grade at Taylor and Ninth streets, read and referred to the same committee.

A communication from Arthur Pable in reference to work done on streets in Carruthers' Addition, was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with instructions to report at the next meeting of the Council.

A petition of L. White for the erection of a fire hydrant on Park street was read, and the Chief Engineer and Committee on Fire and Water were instructed to have the hydrant erected in accordance with the prayer of petitioner.

Communication in reference to Fire Alarm Telegraph was read and referred to Committee on Fire and Water and Chief Engineer.

Councilman Hill appeared and took his seat.

Councilman Russell appeared and took his seat.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The annual report of the Police Commissioners, showing the number of police officers on duty in the city, together with the amount of salaries and estimated expense of maintaining the same for the ensuing year, was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Police.

The report of the Chief Engineer, recommending the erection and repairs of engine houses, purchase of hoil, hose, etc., was read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water, with instructions to have the same published.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Ways and Means reported that the Report of the Treasurer for 1872 was correct. Report adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Public Property recommended the publication of a portion of the Annual Report of the City Surveyor.—Report adopted.

A communication from the Mayor and accompanying documents from the City Surveyor in reference to the construction of a ditch at the foot of Robinson Hill, were read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

The report of the Committee on Streets and Public Property recommending that the Street Commissioner require the Street Railway Company to have First street repaired, was adopted.

A communication from the City Attorney in reference to the extension of B street was read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property, with instruction to report by ordinance.

A communication to the Auditor, notifying the city that Major H. M. Robert is appointed by the Secretary of War to superintend the construction of the Wallamet bridge, was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY.

The following claims against the city were ordered paid: T. M. Temple, $5; *Herald* Printing Co., two bills, $43 25; Oregon *Bulletin*, $31 60; J. B. Kellogg, $5; J. R. Robb, $5; Hurgren & Shindler, $36; Wm. Healy, $16; A. G. Walling, $32 75; John Drew, $10 50; O'Connor & Malarky, $1 35, Oregonian Publishing Co., $51 34; T. B. Maxwell, $15; James Bennett, $125; Himes & Bachelder, $7; W. F. Wilcox, $1 50; Oregon Iron Works, $118 42. The bill of W. H. Harris, $233 60 was referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The bill of the Willamet Iron Works, $46, was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property. The bill of the Maison Dore for coffee furnished, was referred to the special committee on claims growing out of the late fire.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance establishing the grade of Ninth street, at its intersection with Taylor and Madison streets; read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance transferring $2,500 from the general fund to the police fund read twice, rules suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

An ordinance amending an ordinance establishing fire limits, read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance making an appropriation of $400 for the purchase of fire hose, read a first and second time, and laid over.

An ordinance authorizing a contract for the construction of a cistern at the corner of Sixth and Main streets, to contain 20,000 gallons, read a first and second time, and laid over.

A substitute for the ordinance providing for the improvement of G street was read and adopted, and the bill passed.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Front street, between C and D streets, read a third time and passed.

An ordinance providing for a proper system of sewage and matters incident thereto, read a first and second time and laid over.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of North Thirteenth street, between G and Q streets, read a third time and passed.

An ordinance establishing certain grades on North Thirteenth street, read a third time and passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

That the City Surveyor be instructed to survey certain streets. Adopted.

That the Committee on Streets and Public Property be authorized to secure a place for a city pound.

On motion, adjourned.

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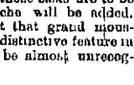

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JEWELRY.

A Railroad Watch.

TRAVELER'S BY RAILROAD FREQUENTLY FIND their Watches completely demoralized by the continuous jar of the train. To overcome this difficulty having been a problem with watchmakers, and it is now successfully accomplished in the new grade made by the

AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY OF WALTHAM.

This Watch is made in the most substantial manner, on the most approved principles, and combines all the recent improvements. It has a new micrametrical regulator, by which the slightest variation can be easily corrected. It is carefully adjusted, and may be entirely relied on to run accurately, wear well, and

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Letter from Astoria.

ASTORIA, Jan. 28, 1873.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

This usually quiet place has had a first class sensation, and, on the whole, in doing as well as could be expected. On the 26th we had in our midst a live Senator The Hon. J. H. Mitchell, accompanied by some of his friends, who are unselfishly showing him the way to the National Capital, arrived here Of course we had heard of what efforts you had been making in your metropolitan way to get him off with appropriate eclat, and were resolved not to be outdone Accordingly invitations were issued to the elite of our little seaport, and a champagne supper was tendered to Mr. Mitchell and his friends. Of course the party was small, but very select. Our host of the Occident, Arrigoni, knows how to "do the grand," and did it in his best style. Toasts, speeches, descriptions of our wants, eulogies on our harbor and ourselves, were only interrupted by the popping of champagne corks and mirthful sungs. Bacchus and Selinus, or some of those other fellows, soon, however, reigned supreme At a late hour, full of happiness, glory and champagne, the guests succumbed to the influence of the drowsy god and sought their couches. One gentleman, while taking an astronomical observation, fell off the wharf into the bay. After being rescued he protested he "could whip the man who upset the boat"

COURT WEEK.

Our semi-annual term of court is upon us His Honor, Judge Upton, is here, but anticipates a brief term. Only two new cases appear on the civil calendar, which, with those continued from the last term, will occupy but a short time, while there is as yet no criminal business on the docket. It is fortunate that it so happens, as the Supreme Court is in session, where the presence of the Chief Justice is needed.

We notice among the guests at Arrigoni's a number of Portland attorneys—the Hon. J. N Dolph, Judges Page and Strong, Messrs. Thayer and Durham. Astoria is a popular place with your attorneys in the summer season, but at this time of year they are filled with unutterable longings for the balmy mists and plastic mud of Portland.

CUSTOM HOUSE.

Collector Hinman, who by the way has proved an able and efficient officer, has moved into the new Custom House. It is a neat and commodious building, and, now that the inland, it presents a much better appearance than was expected.

It has been rumored here that certain parties are seeking to compass the removal of our present Custom House officials. For what reason, puzzles us as they are courteous, honest and capable gentlemen. Perhaps, however, they didn't vote *right* in the *premises*. That seems to be the *sine qua non*, now-a-days. Lacking that important qualification, honor, capacity and unswerving loyalty to principle in the hour of the country's need; go for naught.

GOSSIP.

Some one evidently without the fear of the powers that be (or were) before his eyes has intimated in connection with the departure of our railroad king that he has "left the country for the country's good." That's old and *mal apropos*—we don't believe it; on the contrary we think he has gone to get money to build our Astoria and Forest Grove railroad. We believe this, because he told us he would.

In my next I propose to call attention to a piece of extortion on the part of a certain Government official of your city, practiced upon the master of a ship, which savors of the worst kind of blackmailing. It tends to disgrace our Government in the eyes of all intelligent foreigners when Government officers take advantage of their official power and position to extort money from shippers who pay because it is cheaper than to suffer the delay consequent upon a defense of their rights.

FRANCK AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 29, 1873.

Gold in New York to-day, 11¼.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 87½@ buying; 88½@ selling.

Gold bars are quotable at 800 fine.

Wheat in Liverpool—Average, California, 12s 4d@12s 6d; Club, 12s 10d@13s 2d.

The general scarcity of money has been the subject of such a vast amount of comment that it grew almost to be a common term in everybody's mouth. For the six months preceding the new year the stringency was more severely felt in Oregon than it had been for years before, and many were found who predicted, and it seemed with good reason, that the business of the country would not get through the pressure without signal disaster and panic Yet we find even at this early period in the year that about all fears of anything of that nature has disappeared, and business men as a general thing entertain feelings of strong confidence in the future. It is believed that should the North Pacific Railroad Company build the amount of their road the coming season as is reported they will, that it will bring to our State and city a much greater volume of trade than we have ever had before, and put into circulation here an amount of money for beyond our former enterprise inaugurated on the northwest coast. A Washington Territory paper estimates the amount that will be disbursed in Oregon and Washington Territory by the Company within nine months at eight millions of dollars, and to accomplish the proposed work of the season will probably require a very large sum, if not so much as that named. While it is true that much of this will at once be sent out of the country, nevertheless the remainder will aggregate a great deal to swell the circulating capital of the country and tend to render the money market much easier.

But from a general observation of our financial condition at the present, we will not have to await the event before mentioned, which is not one of which we claim to have certain information for the solution of the problem of a relief from the tightness in money matters. An unmistakable reflection of an easier market is manifest already, both in the East and California, and its influence is beginning to be felt here. The supply of funds is increasing and lenders are losing, in a measure, their control of matters. Money cannot now be put out here on the same terms it could a few months ago. Loans are more freely made on prime paper at current rates than at any time since last spring, while the demand has very perceptibly declined within the present month. We learn of some transactions made on terms which do no violence to the spirit of our statute on the subject of interest, which allows only one per cent. per month. When the enterprises now in contemplation for the year are fairly inaugurated, we may reasonably look for a very active business in our city and a general revival of our commercial interests.

More System Wanted.

Aside from the record of our commerce, which is required by law to be kept, we have but little data from which anything like a fair showing of the aggregate amount of business done here can be ascertained, and it is remarked by those who come here from other ports for the purpose of commerce, that a deplorable want of system is manifest in the manner of doing business by numbers of men engaged here, whose annual transactions foot up very largely. Could we ascertain, with any approximation to exactness, the aggregate of capital invested; the amounts of the various productions passing through our city; the increase or decrease in the volume of trade in each and every branch of commerce carried on in our midst, we might do much to enlighten those who seek favorable localities on this coast to inaugurate enterprises which, while they are expected to compensate the owners, are also of great benefit in developing and advancing the material resources of the country at large. One step in the direction indicated, it is thought, might be taken by the organization of a board of trade or exchange, in the city of Portland We have before mentioned this matter, and will not revert to it farther at this time, though we deem it a subject of great importance both to our city and the State at large.

Puget Sound Lumber Trade.

The following table, from the *Tribune*, is probably compiled from the *Commercial Herald*, and shows the number of feet of rough and dressed lumber, of fencing and pickets received at the port of San Francisco from mills on Puget Sound during the twelve months of the year 1872.

	Rough.	*Dressed.*	*Fencing.*	*Pickets.*
January	7,261,600	643,269	611,595	
February	5,270,486	1,219,716	962,765	4,010
March	14,040,833	1,119,476	1,724,025	4,725
April	6,212,689	971,320	1,110,166	22,316
May	10,535,140	992,581	1,071,366	27,680
June	7,354,181	1,603,429	1,120,432	38,700
July	9,854,018	1,362,948	870,022	
August	7,128,160	761,073	600,269	4,230
September	8,487,778	1,673,644	980,428	
October	8,921,834	943,880	501,685	37,400
November	9,611,773	1,387,094	521,010	7,400
December	7,969,526	762,608	590,181	
Total ft	103,103,066	13,303,614	10,241,263	146,474

RECAPITULATION.

	Ft.
Rough lumber	103,103,066
Dressed "	13,303,614
Fencing "	10,201,263
Pickets "	146,974
Total ft	126,754,917

Besides the exportation of the above mentioned articles, there was an immense trade in piles, spars, shingles, laths, &c., with the same city And besides her exports to San Francisco, Puget Sound sent scores of lumber-laden vessels to Oakland, Lower California, Sandwich Islands, Peru Chilo China and Australia. The grand aggregate of her lumber exports to all countries during the year could not have been less than 200,000,000 feet.

Home Produce Market

A general state of dullness prevails in this line to day, and aside from our average receipts of produce with a general tendency to lessen in prices, though this is not without exception in some instances, we shall but hit a subject matter for comment.

WHEAT—There is but one vessel now at this port to load Wheat, and her cargo being already purchased, the market is quiet Other vessels are over due, and some three or four will probably arrive in a few days To secure cargoes for these buyers may be more inclined to operate, and trade may become more active The surplus in the interior, still large, is generally held at a considerable advance on the rates now offered, which are not more than $1 65 per central for common to lots, with perhaps a to 5 cents advance on round lots of prime

FLOUR—At no time during the season has the stock of Extra brands on hand here been so large as at a corresponding period last year. The supply at present is comparatively large and prices are firm at $6 50 per bbl for standard brands, while other grades are scarcely so active at prices ranging from $4@

OATS—The market is not without change, and aside from the home demand there is not much call. Small shipments will be made for San Francisco by the Orilflamme, and to the Sound by the Telfair We still quote at 60@62½ cents per bushel

HAY—Prices are rather weaker, and the demand is not active. Good timothy is quotable at $18@20 per ton Wild hay is not desirable, and is held at $9@10

FEED—The supply is hardly up to the demand, but little tendency is shown to advance prices Bran is quotable at $16@18, shorts, $27 50@32 50 per ton.

POTATOES—The receipts are large and there being but little or no demand, except for local consumption Prices rule low. Choice varieties command 75@80 cents per bushel

APPLES—We note no change There is a wide range in the market Choice shipping command about 75 cts per box, while common lots from wagons bring 45@50 The latter not in boxes.

BUTTER—Choice fresh dairy is in good demand at 40 @45 cents per pound. Inferior is plentiful at very low figures.

EGGS—The market is somewhat improved, though the demand is hardly up to the supply. Prices are firm at former rates

Other products are held at the quotations given yesterday.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamer Gussie Telfair, which arrived at port this morning from Victoria and Sound ports, brought 23 tons of freight.

The Orilflamme, from San Francisco, will be due here Friday night She is advertised to sail hence February 3d.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29 —Arrived—German bk Constantine, from Samarang, Java, sugar to B. Davidson; ship Tabor, 158 days from New York, to Geo. Homes & Co; ship Messenger, 157 days from New York, to Kittle & Co.; bark Northwest, Port Madison.

Sailed—Br ship Royal Edward, Liverpool; British bk Kelso, Queenstown; schr Vivid, Tahiti; ship United States, for bk Ben Moro, Liverpool; Br ship M. E. Rope, Queenstown; Good Templar, Coos Bay; bktn, Molunthon, Astoria.

Arrived—Br ship Santa Rosa, Callao.

The Oregon is receiving freights for Portland.

The sailing of the Moses Taylor, Honolulu, has been postponed until Sunday to await the arrival of English mail.

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29 —Flour—The China steamer will take 6,000 bbls; the local Tender and Zephyr will take about 5,000 bbls, and the Central America and possibly a sailing vessel will be put on for China Various brands of superfine are quoted at $5a5 25; brands of extra range at $5 75@6 25.

Wheat—Coast, $1 75@1 85; interior shipping, $1 60 @1 95; milling, $1 90@2; sales 300 sks shipping, $1 90; 200 sks common, $1 70.

Barley—Feed, $1 25@1 35; brewing, $1 35@1 45; sales 200 sks feed, $1 30; 400 sks do, $1 32½.

Oats—Light demand at $2@2 25.

Potatoes—Humboldt, $1a1 20; other kinds, 75c@$1.

Onions—Good sound yellow descriptions are quoted at $3 75@3 85; sales this good, $3 75.

Corn—Market quiet, average price for yellow being $1 20; sales 400 sks good, $1 20; 200 sks do, $1 20.

Cornmeal—Jobbing from local mills at 1¼@2c.

Buckwheat—Nominal at $1 75.

Rye—Wharf lots can be had at $2; store lots are held $2 25.

Dairy Products—Butter, fresh roll, 50c, other grades, 30a 45c; California firkin, 25@35c; Western firkin, 15@18c, Eastern, 20@30c; choice, 32½@35c; cheese, 12a16c; Eastern cream, 16c; California eggs, 32½a35c; Oregon, 22a27½c; Eastern, 29@30c.

Poultry—weak; live turkeys quoted $10@18; hens and large roosters, $7 50@9; small chickens, $5@6; ducks, $10@22; geese, $12@18.

Seeds—Canary, 4½c; flax, 3c; California mustard, 2c for white; 3c for brown.

Beans—All kinds jobbing at 8¼@9c, except pink and large butter, which are quoted at 4½@5c.

Hops—Stock is light and prices have been raised to 45@50c.

Broom Corn—Extremes of the market $40@100 per ton.

Honey—Strained kinds, 10@15c; Southern comb, 20@ 22½c.

Beeswax—In light demand at 30@35c.

Dried Fruits—Apples jobbing at 5@6c; Pearmain, the @$1 25; Blue Pearmain, $1 25@1 50; Russets, $1 25@ 1 50; Spitzenberg, $1 50@1 75; Newtown Pippin, $1 25 @2. Eastern Bearre pears, $1@1 50; Pound pears, $1 @1 25; Bearre Dalueson, $3 ₩ bx; cranberries, $14@ 15 ₩ bbl; bananas, $2@3 50; lemons, $5 ₩ 100; limes, 25@30c ₩ doz; oranges, $40@50 ₩ 1,000.

Nuts—California almonds, 10@12c for hard; 18@25c for soft; French almonds, 25@30c; Princess almonds, 30@ 40c; Eastern chestnuts, 20c; Brazil, 10c; filberts, 13c; hickory, 12c; pecan, 20c; California peanuts, 5c; California walnuts, 13c; Chile walnuts, 10c; cocoanuts, $12 50 ₩ 100.

Feed—Oil cake meal reduced during the week from $35 to $30; bran, $18 from the mills; middlings, $26@ 27 50; hay $12@22 per ton; straw, 60@70c per bale Sale of a cargo of hurry clover at $15; one do common wild oat, $10 50; one do choice wild oat, $22 50 ₩ ton.

Wild Game—Hare, $3 50@4; rabbits, $1 50; quail, $1 75@2; larks, doves, plover, curlew and common snipe, 75c; English snipe, $2; ducks, $1 50a2 for common, and $2a4 for mallard; geese, $2 50a3 50 per doz.

Provisions—California bacon, 12½@13c; Eastern bacon, California cured and cut, 11½@12c; Oregon bacon, 12c; California plain hams, 13½@14c; Eastern sugar-cured hams, 16a17c; California smoked beef, 12½c; California lard, 10½a13c; Eastern lard, 11a12c for tierces and kegs, and 12a13½c for cauldies; moss pork, $18; prime, $16 50; clear, $20; extra do $21 per bbl.

Wool—Quiet Fall, 30@35c; last spring's clip, 30@ 32½c. Sales of 35,000 pounds medium fall at 35@36c.

Hides—California dry, 18@20c; salted, 8½@10c. The sales of the week embrace 1,500 dry at 18a19c, and 1,500 salted at 8½@9½c.

Tallow—Common to good, 7a8c per pound.

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our Retail Dealers:

GREEN FRUITS.	
Oranges, per doz	1 00
Limes, per doz	65
Cocoanuts, each	12
Cals. Grapes, ₩ lb	2½
Gooseberries, ₩ gal	75a 99
Lemons, per doz	75a1 00
Peaches, ₩ lb	
Apples, ₩ box	1 00
Plums, ₩ lb	

DRIED FRUIT.	₩ lb.
Figs, Cal	10a20
Figs, Asia Min, new	30a37
" " old	20a25
Apples	10
Plums, pitless	20a25
Prunes, Ger, & French	20a25
Pears	8a10

GROCERIES.	₩ lb.
Coffee, ground	30a37
do Green C. R	22a25
do " Rio	20
do " Java	30a33
do Mocha	50
Sugar, crushed	16
do pulverized	16
do granulated	15
do Yellow	14
do Island No. 1	13a14
do " No. 2	9a10
Milk, condensed	37
Candles, adamantine	20a25
do Paraffine	33a37
do Sperm	62
Oil, Kerosene ₩ gal	75
Syrup, Golden, ₩ gal	75
Tea—	₩ lb.
Gunpowder	$1 25a1 50
Imperial	1 25a1 50
Young Hyson	1 10a1 50
Hyson	1 00a1 25
Eng. Breakfast	90a1 25
Japan	75a 90

PROVISIONS, ETC.	₩ lb.
Butter—	
Fancy Dairy	50
Good	40a45
Ordinary	20a30
Cooking	20
Cheese, California	25
do Eastern	25
do Oregon	25
Hams, country	18
do city	20a22
do Sugar-cured	22½a25
Shoulders	11a13
Bacon, Clear Sides	15a16
do Breakfast	018
Lard—	
Pure Leaf, in tins	17a18
Good, in tins	15
In bulk	15
Honey, Yellow Comb	25
do White	37
Eggs, per doz	25

BEVERAGES.	₩ pack.
Wine—	
Fancy brands	1 00
Choice	1 25
Common	1 62
Goshaul, extra	1 50
Corn meal, Cal	2a2 5
do Oregon	2a2 5

POULTRY.	₩ pair.
Hens, grown	$1 00a1 25
Roosters, "	1 25
Spring chickens	1 00
Ducks, tame	1 50
Geese, "	3 00
Turkeys	5 00

CANNED GOODS.	₩ doz
Oysters, 2-lb cans	5 00a5 25
do 1-lb cans	3 00a3 50
Lobsters, 2-lb cans	3 75a4 00
do 1-lb cans	2 00a2 50
Sardines, qr-tins	4 00a4 50
do lf-tins	3 00a3 00
Clams	3 25a4 00
Green corn, 2lb cans	3 00a3 50
" Peas, 2lb cans	3 00a3 50
" Beans, 2lb cans	3 00a4 00
Tomatoes, 2lb cans	3 00a4 00
Peaches, 2½₩lb cans	4 00a4 50
Pine apples, 2lb cans	4 50a5 00
Strawberries, "	4 50a5 00
Blackberries, "	4 00a5 00
Apricots, 2lb cans	3 00a4 50
Jellies, in tins	2 00a2 50
Jams, in tins	2 00a2 50

SAUCES, ETC.	₩ doz. pts. qts.
Worcester Sauce	2 00a3 00
Catsup, Tomato	2 50a3 00
do Mushroom	2 00a2 50
Capers	2 00a2 50
Curry Powders	2 50a3 00
Mustard, French	2 75a3 25
do Cal	2 50a3 00
Pickles, English	3 00

NUTS.	₩ lb.
Almonds	20a30
Walnuts	20a25
Brazil	25a30
Filberts	20a25
Peanuts	15a20
Pecan	25a30
Chestnuts	a30
Hickory	25

GAME.	₩ pair.
Ducks	62a 75
Geese	1 50
Swan	2 00
Grouse	75
Pheasants	62
Venison, ₩ lb	10a 12

FISH.	₩ lb.
Eastern Cod	15
Pacific Cod	5a12
Sturgeon	6
Salmon	8a 10
Dessicated Cod	20
Mackerel, ₩ kit	2 50a2 60
Fresh Oysters ₩ 100	75

VEGETABLES.	₩ lb.
Squash	3
Beets	3
Onions	4
Carrots	3
Turnips	3
Garlic	25
Celery, ₩ doz	2 50
Cabbage, ₩ doz	75a1 00
Cauliflower ₩ doz	2 50

MEATS.	₩ lb.
Beef	10a12
do choice cuts	18a25
Mutton	12a15
do choice cuts	20
Veal	12a15
Pork	12a15
do choice cuts	20

General Merchandize.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Plows — Moline, 10 to 14 inch cut, $10@17 50; Peoria, 10 to 14 inch cut, $11@18 50; Collin's B 12 and C 3, 5's; Collin's Cast Cast-steel, $18 50@20 Grain Drills—Buckeye, 9 and 10-hoe, $120@125, do with broad cast attachment, $5 extra. Cultivators—Two-horse, 9 teeth, $22. Buckeye broadcast Seeder and Cultivator, $1 0. Cider Mills—Hackoyo, two tubs, Junior, $30@32 50; do, Senior, $50@60; Hutchinson's $27 50. Farm Wagons—$145@190. Harrow teeth, 12c ₩ lb.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Mens', J. K. & Co's B B B extra brofich calf, quilted or plain, 8s, do 8 to 12's boots, $7 25a7 75; J K & Co Milford Standard's and other pegged boots, $6 75a7 25; Portland made kip and calf boots, $6 50a7; Portland made kip and calf boots, $6 50a7; Portland made French calf and kip boots, $7 25a7 75. Portland made kip and calf boots, $6 50a7; do gunsite kip, $6 4. Webfoot 61@6 4. Boys Boots—J K & Co, B B B extra French calf shoes and boots, $5 50@6; do extra calf, $4 25@5. Kip and Grain, $4 50@5. Nash's calf pegged, $27@30 Ladies—A kid fox walnut top lasts $4 75@5 50; kid seat vamp lasts, $4 25@5; kid full seal lasts $4 @5, Portland made calf lasts, $4 25; San Francisco calf lasts, $4 50@5 50, Misses and Children's lasts, comparatively less and lower grades at very much lower quotations

BAGS AND BAGGING—Quotable for standard sizes, 1½@2c as per quality and quantity, Flour Sacks, 11½c, Burlap per yard, 14a16c.

BUILDING MATERIAL—Local dealers still at prices ranging as per cargo, through Lumber, $12@14, dressed, $22 @30, flooring, $24@28, lath, $3 ₩ M, shingles, $2 50, Eastern hardwood, 37½@40 per foot.

BROOMS—Common, $3@4 ₩ dozen, extra, $4@6.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $3 50@4; Jams and Jellies $4 50; Los Angeles Honey, $4 50; Strawberries, $4 50; Raspberries, $4 75; Blackberries $4 00, Pine Apple, $4 50, Green Gages, $3 75@4; Peaches, $4 25@4 50; Pie Fruit, $3@3 50, Green Peas, $3 50; Green Beans, $3 00, Lobsters, $3 50@3 75. Clams, $4. Green Corn, $3@3 25, Tomatoes, $3 25.

COFFEE—Market well sustained all the following jobbing prices: Costa Rica 20½@21; Guatemala, 20½@21, Rio and Manilla, 20¼@21c; Java, 29@27c J. F Jones & Co's Ground Java, 27½c, Chartres, 25c; Phoenix Premium 20@22c.

CANDLES—We quote market firm at 17@22c, full weight, light weight 16c.

CEMENT, &c.—New Jersey, $6, Astoria, $4 50; Calcine Plaster, $5, Land Plaster, $2 50; Santa Cruz Lime, $2 75, San Juan Lime, $2 75

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, 10½, 6c, Borax, 24@27, Blue Vitrol, 12½@13c; Potash Grants, 13½ca, do, $2 25, Rosin, ₩ bbl, $12a13; Saleratus, kegs, 14@30c; ₩ qrbar, $8@10

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 15@16 ctg seconds, 15c; Sheetings, light, 11¼c; medium, 12½c, standard, 14@ 15½c; heavy, 17½c, bleached sheetings, 15, 9@10½c; do, 7c, 10½c; do 4-4, 12½@25c cotton checks, 15a20c; linen checks, 18a25c; cambrics, 10c Cotton flannel, bleached, 18a2 c; do, brown, 12½@13c. Cottonades, light, 20a25c; do, heavy, 25a40c. Denims, 15a20c. Hickory stripes, 15½a18c, Standard prints, 11c; seconds, 10c; Delaines, 15a20c. Reserve, 20a30c. Ticks, 25, 14½a30c; do, 4-4, 20a35c Bear duck, 24c. Table linen, damask, brown, 50a60c; damask bleached, 60a85. Diaper linen, 35a37½c. Sacks, seamless, 36@40c. Alpacas, black, 30a70c. Waterproof, $1 10a1 25. Crash 10a15c. Ginghams—Domestic, 15a20c; Scotch, 22a30c. Lawns 15a27. Percales, 25a30

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Apples, 7a7½c; packed, 8a8½c; Peaches, 12½a13c; Hungarian Prunes, 14c, Plums, pitless, 20a22c; Raisins, new crop, in box, $4 50, do of do, $5 50, quarter by eighth boxes, $2; Zante Currants, 14c, Oregon do, 10a12c; Citron, 55a60c

FISH—Cod, Pacific, 10c; Eastern, 11c; Mackerel, No. 1, ₩ bbl, $14 75, do No 2, $12 00; do kitts, No. 1, $3 50; do No. 2, $2 75; Salmon, pickled, extra brands, ₩ bbl, $14 50a15; do, $ kit, $3 50a3 75; Halibut, $4 00a4 25; kits, $2 50a2 75; Herring, scaled, $12 50 @13 75; 8 pt. $9 00@9 75; 4 pt scarfs, $12 50 @13 75; 8 pt. $9 00@9 75; 4 pt Green, $10 00@10 75; 3 pt $8a8 25; 4 pt Blue, $10 00@10 75; 3 pt, $8@8 25; No. 2 Indian, $9a9 25. Flannel Clothing for 10 dozen (first figures for regular and last for extra sizes) Gray Overshirts, $21 ₩ dozen; Grey Undershirts, $19 a White Undershirting, $22@23; Scarlet Undershirting, $23@27; Fancy Cassimere Overshirts, extra size, $38@ 39 ₩ doz; Fancy Check Overshirts, $25 00 Flannels, per yard, blue mixed twilled, 60@65c; Scarlet, 55@60c; White, 50a60; Fancy Plaid, 37½@40c; plain colored, 45a50c; plain checked, 50c, Honey Comb, per yard; plain, $2 25; fancy, $2 25. Cloths, per yard: Herd Tiwns, $1@ 1 12½; Cassimeres, $1 25@1 75; Doeskin, $1 25@2; Tweed, $1 00@1 05; Yarns, $1 37@1 75.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill, $27 50@28; Rumford's, $25@25 50; Jones' $22 50@23; Donnelly's, $24.

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THOMAS HANLEY,
AMOS HALL.

Portland, O., Jan. 21, 1873. j22d10t

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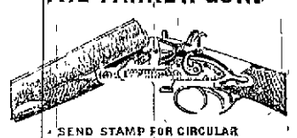

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Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL Meeting of the Stockholders of the "Odd Fellows' Hall Association of Portland, Oregon," will be held at Odd Fellows Temple, corner of First and Alder streets, in the city of Portland, on Tuesday, the fourth day of February, A. D. 1873, at 8 o'clock P. M.

By order,
WARD S STEVENS, Secretary.
Portland, Jan. 21, 1873. jan27d5d

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THE ECLECTIC DISPENSARY

AND

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